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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) -P-

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
I.O. 4239
WF 447
RM;BPP
UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SF

DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 4/14/69.

The Oklahoma City Division has advised that [redacted], Oklahoma City, the registered owner of a vehicle bearing 1968 Oklahoma license [redacted], has been reported by an Oklahoma City PCI after observing [redacted] photograph, is definitely not identical to the Subject.

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The St. Louis Division has ascertained that [redacted], last known to have resided in St. Louis, who has been reported as the registered owner of a vehicle bearing Missouri license [redacted] and a possible "look-alike", was born [redacted] according to the records of the St. Louis Police Department.

[redacted] has advised that frequent observations of the BPP headquarters, Berkeley, California, has resulted in no observations of any individual resembling the Subject.

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To: SACs, Baltimore (157-3241)
Boston (157-654)

From: Director, FBI (105-165706)

BLACK PANTHER PARTY
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ReBAtel 3/7/69 bearing dual caption "Leroy Eldridge Cleaver - Fugitive, IO 4239, W 2447, RM - BPP; Black Panther Party, RM."

Information set forth in retel indicates the possibility that [redacted] of the Black Panther Party [redacted] of that organization in [redacted] may be in possession of information as to the current whereabouts of Leroy Eldridge Cleaver.

Accordingly, Boston should vigorously press investigation in [redacted] regard and every effort should be expended in developing sources and informants close to him who will be in a position to provide information of pertinence, in his regard as well as regarding Cleaver which may result in the latter's location and apprehension.

Data set forth in retel identifies one [redacted] who accompanied [redacted] during his visit to Baltimore on 3/6/69. This individual would appear to be identical to [redacted] who is the subject of Bureau file 157-12132, Boston

2 - San Francisco (For information)
1 - 157-NEW ([redacted]) SEE NOTE PAGE TWO
1 - 62-111663 ([redacted])
1 - 157-12132 ([redacted])
1 - 100-447251 (Leroy Eldridge Cleaver)

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file 157-927. A photograph of [redacted], if available, should be immediately furnished to the Baltimore Office by Boston for the purpose of effecting his identification by Baltimore's informant. In view of information concerning the individual identified in retel as [redacted], Baltimore should expedite investigation in his regard and unless information in Baltimore's possession would preclude same, [redacted] should be interviewed at an early date for the purpose of obtaining intelligence data in his possession as well as for developing pertinent information in line with the Department's present prosecutive consideration in the Black Panther Party case.

Baltimore should submit the latter investigation and results of interview of [redacted] to the Bureau in form suitable for dissemination. Your cover communication should contain recommendations as to the future handling of his case as well as regarding his inclusion in the Agitator and/or Security Indices.

Bureau files contain no subversive derogatory data identifiable with [redacted] on the basis of available information which is not currently in your possession.

Extra copies of this communication are being furnished Baltimore and Boston for inclusion in their files on [redacted] and [redacted] Information copies are also being furnished to San Francisco for inclusion in their cases on the Black Panther Party and Leroy Eldridge Cleaver.

NOTE: Retel indicates a Baltimore informant furnished information on 3/7/69 indicating Boston Black Panther Party (BPP) [redacted] was investigating the Baltimore BPP chapter to determine if that city would be a suitable location for bringing Leroy Eldridge Cleaver out of hiding. Cleaver is a West Coast BPP leader currently being sought as a Bureau fugitive. Baltimore's source also furnished information regarding an individual identified only as

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[redacted] who it appears may be identical to Boston Office subject [redacted] who together with [redacted] undertook trial action against local Baltimore BPP member [redacted] resulting in [redacted] expulsion from the BPP. Instructions set forth to Boston to press investigation of [redacted] in view of possibility he may be in possession of information regarding location of Cleaver and to submit a photo of [redacted] to Baltimore for identification. Baltimore instructed to expedite investigation of [redacted] and conduct interview to develop both intelligence and prosecutive data.

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7:34PM URGENT 4-12-69 RDS

TO DIRECTOR (100-447251) & NEW HAVEN

FROM BOSTON (157-637) 1P

ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER.

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[redacted] ADVISED TELEPHONICALLY [redacted]

[redacted] PURPOSE TO ATTEND BLACK PANTHER MEETING. WAS TOLD ELDRIDGE CLEAVER TO BE PRESENT. WILL MEET PANTHERS AT [redacted] (PH). WILL BE DRIVEN TO MEETING FROM THERE. [redacted] TO BE PRESENT. SOURCE UNDERSTOOD [redacted] LEFT BRIDGEPORT FRIDAY P.M. FOR MISSISSIPPI. DOESN'T KNOW IF [redacted] FAILED TO GO OR HAS RETURNED. NEW HAVEN DIVISION ADVISED TELEPHONICALLY. WILL COVER ARRIVAL OF PLANE AT BRIDGEPORT AND ATTEMPT SURVEILLANCE TO MEETING.

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FROM: NEW HAVEN (88-3256)

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ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM-BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER.

[redacted] CONTACTED NHO THIS DATE AND ADVISED CLEAVER NOT IN BRIDGEPORT, CONN. TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE.

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URGENT 3-27-69

TO DIRECTOR CHICAGO AND NEW YORK

CHICAGO AND NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON

FROM MINNEAPOLIS

ACTIVITIES FOLLOWING THE ARREST OF THREE INDIVIDUALS, MARCH FIVE, NINETEEN SIXTYNINE, BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES, MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, ON CHARGES ARISING FROM UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA CAMPUS DISORDER, RACIAL MATTERS.

COMMEMORATION OF THE DEATH OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., APRIL FOUR, NEXT, RACIAL MATTERS.

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RACIAL MATTER - BLACK PANTHER PARTY; UFAC - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER. OO - SAN FRANCISCO.

RELIABLE SOURCES STATE PERIOD MARCH THIRTYONE TO APRIL THREE, NEXT SET AS LIBERATION WEEK, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, TO CULMINATE IN A MASS PROTEST MARCH ON CITY - COUNTY BUILDING, MINNEAPOLIS, WHERE THREE

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BLACK STUDENTS ARE TO APPEAR FOR ARRAIGNMENT, HAVING BEEN INDICTED BY LOCAL GRAND JURY FOR PARTICIPATION IN A TAKEOVER OF MORRILL HALL, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, IN JANUARY, NINETEEN SIXTYNINE.

A SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED MARCH TWENTYSIX, LAST, THAT [redacted] ALSO KNOWN AS [redacted] IS [redacted] AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA. [redacted] TOLD SOURCE ON MARCH TWENTYTHREE, LAST, THAT HE HAS RECENTLY BEEN TO NEW YORK ON VACATION, WHERE HE HAD STAYED AT [redacted] SAID HE RAN INTO A FRIEND OF HIS WHO SUPPOSEDLY WAS [redacted] AND THE TWO OF THEM WERE DRINKING HEAVILY MOST OF THE TIME THERE, WENT TO A COUPLE BROADWAY PLAYS AND THE ONLY PEOPLE [redacted] ASSOCIATED WITH WERE [redacted]

SOURCE ASKED [redacted] WHO WAS COMING TO MINNEAPOLIS FOR LIBERATION WEEK AND [redacted] SAID HE WASN'T CURRENT ON THE COMMITTEE'S PLANS BUT UNDERSTOOD A BLACK PANTHER FROM OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, WITH FOUR BODYGUARDS WERE SUPPOSEDLY GOING FROM OAKLAND TO CHICAGO AND THEN ON TO MINNEAPOLIS.

[redacted] MADE NO MENTION OF CLEAVER AND SOURCE INDICATES [redacted] WOULD HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING HIM. SOURCE STATED [redacted] IS A TRANSIENT - TYPE INDIVIDUAL WHOSE EXACT WHEREABOUTS AT THIS TIME IS UNKNOWN,

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AND FURTHER, THAT [redacted] HAS ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS FURNISHED UNRELIABLE INFORMATION DUE TO FACT [redacted] TRIES TO IMPRESS PEOPLE BY MAKING EXAGGERATED STATEMENTS ABOUT EVENTS AND CONTACTS HE HAS. b6 b7C

CLEAVER ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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RE MINNEAPOLIS TELETYPE MARCH TWENTYTWO, SIXTYNINE, CAPTIONED AS ABOVE, AND NEW YORK TELETYPE MARCH TWENTYFOUR, LAST, CARRYING CLEAVER CAPTION.

FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU AND ALL OFFICES, INVESTIGATION HAS REVEALED [redacted] IS [redacted]

[redacted] IS THE SOURCE NOTED ABOVE. b6 b7C b7D

SAN FRANCISCO BE ALERT FOR ANY INFORMATION THAT A BLACK PANTHER PARTY MEMBER AND BODYGUARDS ARE TRAVELING TO MINNEAPOLIS VIA CHICAGO.

THERE HAS BEEN NO INDICATION FROM OTHER LOCAL SOURCES THAT CLEAVER IS COMING TO MINNEAPOLIS, THAT HE INTENDS TO SURRENDER TO FEDERAL OFFICIALS, OR ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING HIS WHEREABOUTS. AS NOTED ABOVE, [redacted] BELIEVES [redacted] WOULD HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE OF CLEAVER, BUT MINNEAPOLIS IS CONTINUING EFFORTS TO LOCATE [redacted] FOR INTERVIEW. LHM FOLLOWS.

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12-14PM URGENT 4-14-69 NJZ

TO DIRECTOR (100-447251), CHICAGO (176-40), NEW YORK (100-161321)

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CHICAGO, NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER DASH FUGITIVE; IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE; WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN; RM DASH BPP; UFAC DASH ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER. OO SAN FRANCISCO.

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[redacted] ADVISED APRIL ELEVEN LAST, LOS ANGELES TELEPHONE NUMBER SIX FIVE SIX DASH SEVEN FOUR FOUR THREE IS NON DASH PUBLISHED. NUMBER SUBSCRIBED TO BY PHIL OCHS, EIGHT FIVE SEVEN FIVE FRANKLIN AVENUE, LOS ANGELES. SERVICE CONNECTED DECEMBER NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT, AND IN DELINQUENT STATUS. OCHS LISTED AS EMPLOYED AT A AND M RECORDS FOR ONE YEAR AS WRITER.

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LOS ANGELES FILE ONE ZERO ZERO DASH SEVEN ZERO TWO SIX NINE CAPTIONED "PHILIP DAVID OCHS, AKA PHILIP OCHS, PHIL OCHS, PHILIP O. OCHS, SM DASH C, OO LOS ANGELES, BUFILE ONE ZERO ZERO DASH FOUR FOUR ONE THREE SEVEN EIGHT, NEW YORK FILE ONE ZERO ZERO DASH ONE FIVE TWO ZERO ZERO" REFLECTS OCHS ON SECURITY INDEX, LOS ANGELES OFFICE. RESIDENCE LISTED AS EIGHT FIVE SEVEN FIVE FRANKLIN AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, AND EMPLOYMENT AS SELF DASH EMPLOYED FOLK SINGER FROM RESIDENCE, ALSO, RECORDS FOR A AND M RECORDS, ONE FOUR ONE SIX NORTH LA BREA AVENUE, LOS ANGELES. NEW YORK SUMMARY REPORT OF SA [redacted] [redacted] DATED DECEMBER TWENTY, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT REFLECTS OCHS REPORTEDLY IN NINETEEN SIXTYFIVE STATED HE CONSIDERS HIMSELF A COMMUNIST, ALTHOUGH HE IS NOT A PARTY MEMBER AND HAS NO DIRECT PARTY AFFILIATION; REPORTEDLY, PRESENT AT NINETEEN SIXTYFOUR AND NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT MAY DAY CELEBRATION, NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK; HAS ENTERTAINED, OR BEEN PRESENT, AT NUMBEROUS COMMUNIST PARTY FRONT GROUP SPONSORED RALLIES AND SLASH OR ACTIVITIES DURING PERIOD OF NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE TO NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT; REPORTEDLY, IS ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF YOUTH INTERNATIONAL PARTY, CONSIDERED A TROUBADOUR OF THE

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NEW LEFT AND WAS ARRESTED AUGUST TWENTYTHREE, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT, IN CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, DURING THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION FOR CAUSING A DISTURBANCE. OCHS CONTACTED BY LOS ANGELES SPECIAL AGENTS ON OCTOBER ONE, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT, AND REFUSED TO DISCUSS ACTIVITIES.

OCHS DESCRIBED WHITE; MALE; BORN DECEMBER NINETEEN, NINETEEN FORTY, EL PASO, TEXAS; ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY POUNDS; FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES; BROWN HAIR AND EYES; SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER TWO TWO NINE DASH THREE FOUR DASH ZERO ZERO FIVE ONE; FIB NUMBER FOUR SEVEN NINE EIGHT FOUR ONE D.

OCHS' FBI IDENTIFICATION RECORD LISTS FOLLOWING ARRESTS; RIVIERA BEACH, FLORIDA, VAG. (NINETEEN SIXTY); MINOR IN POSSESSION OF ALCHOLIC BEVERAGES, WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA (NINETEEN SIXTY); DIS. (NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT), CHICAGO, ILLINOIS; AND POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA (NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT), LOS ANGELES.

OCHS ON CURRENT LOS ANGELES COUNTY PROBATION WITH NO TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS.

BETWEEN JULY ELEVEN, NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN AND MAY THREE, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT, OCHS OBSERVED AT TWO ANTI DASH WAR DEMONSTRATIONS IN LOS ANGELES. ON SUNDAY, APRIL THIRTEEN, NINETEEN SIXTYNINE, WAS SCHEDULED TO ENTERTAIN AT A BLACK

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PANTHER PARTY RALLY AT LOS ANGELES TRADE TECH COLLEGE.

OCHS ALSO SUBJECT OF LOS ANGELES FILE ONE SEVEN SIX DASH FOUR ZERO CAPTIONED "ANTI DASH RIOT LAWS, PRINCIPAL SUBJECT, OO CHICAGO, CHICAGO FILE ONE SEVEN SIX DASH FIVE ZERO, BUFILE ONE SEVEN SIX DASH FOUR FOUR, SAN FRANCISCO FILE ONE SEVEN SIX DASH THREE TWO." If any add'l data furnished by CG would will be forwarded.

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FOR INFORMATION OF CHICAGO, REFERENCED BUTEL ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY THE SUBJECT'S HOUSEHOLD GOODS BEING SHIPPED TO TORONTO, CANADA, IN CARE OF [redacted]

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ALSO, SUBJECT REPORTED TO BE AT ROCHDALE COLLEGE, JANUARY TWENTYFOUR, LAST. ONE OF MANY LONG DISTANCE TOLL CALLS ON PHONE OF [redacted] MADE TO PHONE NUMBER SUBSCRIBED TO BY PHILIP DAVID OCHS, LOS ANGELES. LOS ANGELES FILE ONE SEVEN SIX DASH FOUR ZERO REFERRED TO ABOVE (CHICAGO FILE ONE SEVEN SIX DASH FIVE ZERO) RUC'D TO CHICAGO, OCTOBER ONE, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT.

CHICAGO SURAD BUREAU THIS DATE ANY ADDITIONAL PERTINENT INFORMATION REGARDING OCHS FOR BUREAU DISSEMINATION TO [redacted] [redacted] APRIL FOURTEEN, INSTANT. (C) (U)

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IO 4239, WF 447, RM-BPP;
UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

ReSFairtel to NY, 4/11/69.

Enclosed herewith are 6 copies of an LHM concerning captioned matter. One copy of the LHM is being furnished San Francisco for information.

Based on the information set forth in this LHM, it is requested that the Bureau furnish same to Legat, London and request that [redacted] be interviewed re his knowledge of the whereabouts of subject. The results should be furnished San Francisco.

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New York, New York
April 16, 1969

Leroy Eldridge Cleaver-
Fugitive
Identification Order Number 4239
Wanted Flyer Number 447
Racial Matters-Black Panther Party;
Unlawful Flight to Avoid Confinement-
Assault With Intent to Commit Murder

On April 11, 1969, the San Francisco Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) furnished information to the effect that [redacted] described as a [redacted], is considered as a past-known associate of Cleaver. [redacted] and Cleaver reportedly [redacted] at San Francisco, California in 1967. [redacted] is further reported to be [redacted] of the Black Panther Party (BPP), although he claims that he is primarily [redacted]

A characterization of the BPP is attached hereto.

[redacted] is described as a Negro, male American, date of birth, [redacted], 5 feet 6 inches, 175 pounds, black hair, brown eyes, [redacted], [redacted], FBI Number [redacted] past arrests show an arrest by the Los Angeles, California Police Department on [redacted]

Inquiry at [redacted] San Francisco, California, where [redacted] was last known to be employed, disclosed that he is now believed to be in New York, New York.

[redacted]

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Leroy Eldridge Cleaver-
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Identification Order Number 4239
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Leroy Eldridge Cleaver is currently a Federal Fugitive being actively sought by the FBI. Federal process was issued in this matter on December 10, 1968, by United States Commissioner Richard S. Goldsmith at San Francisco, California, for violation of Title 18, Section 1073, United States Code, Unlawful Flight to Avoid Confinement, Parole Violation, Assault With Intent to Commit Murder, Assault With Intent to Commit Rape, and Assault With Deadly Weapon. The bond recommended was $100,000, surety or cash.

Cleaver is described as Negro, male American, born August 31, 1935, in Little Rock, Arkansas, 6 feet 2 inches, 185 - 195 pounds, medium build, black hair, brown eyes, medium complexion, numerous pock scars on back and sometimes wears small gold earring in pierced left ear lobe.

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APPENDIX

1.

BLACK PANTHER PARTY

According to its official newspaper, the Black Panther Party (BPP) was started during December, 1966, in Oakland, California, to organize black people so they can take control of the life, politics, and the destiny of the black community. It was organized by BOBBY GEORGE SEALE, BPP Chairman, and HUEY P. NEWTON, BPP Minister of Defense. NEWTON is presently serving a sentence of 2 to 15 years on a conviction of manslaughter in connection with the killing of an Oakland police officer.

The official newspaper, "The Black Panther", which further describes itself as the "Black Community News Service", states that the BPP advocates the use of guns and guerrilla tactics in its revolutionary program to end oppression of the black people. Residents of the black community are urged to arm themselves against the police who are consistently referred to in the publication as "pigs" who should be killed.

"The Black Panther" issue of September 7, 1968, contains an editorial by BPP Minister of Education, GEORGE MASON MURRAY, which ends with the following:

"Black men. Black people, colored persons of America, revolt everywhere! Arm yourselves. The only culture worth keeping is a revolutionary culture. Change. Freedom everywhere. Dynamite! Black Power. Use the gun. Kill the pigs everywhere."

Included in the introduction to an article appearing in the October 5, 1968, edition of "The Black Panther" is the statement, "... we will not dissent from American Government. We will overthrow it."

Issues of "The Black Panther" regularly contain quotations from the writings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung of the People's Republic of China and feature MAO's statement that "political power grows out of the barrel of a gun."

The national headquarters of the BPP is located at 3106 Shattuck Avenue, Berkeley, California. Branches have been established at various locations throughout the United States.

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FROM: LEGAT, MEXICO (100-3184) (P)

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I.O. #4239, W.F. #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
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Re Ottawa cable 3-29-69 and Mexico City cable 3-25-69.

On 4-10-69, the photograph of [redacted] furnished this Office by Legat, Ottawa, was displayed to [redacted] described in remycab. [redacted] stated unequivocally that the individual he observed [redacted] whom he believed resembled Subject, is [redacted]

[redacted] has been instructed to initiate the investigation in Acapulco and Zihuatenejo, and will not be advised to discontinue until [redacted] mentioned in referenced Ottawa cable, [redacted]

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REURTEL APRIL NINE, LAST.

TELEPHONE LISTINGS REQUESTED ARE AS FOLLOWS:

[redacted] DISCONNECTED MARCH THIRTEEN,LAST. WAS LISTED TO [redacted], OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA. MOVED TO BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA, TO PHONE LISTED TO [redacted], BERKELEY [redacted] IS THE MAIDEN NAME OF SUBJECT OF CASE CAPTIONED, [redacted] AKA, SECURITY MATTER, REVOLUTIONARY UNION,OO: SAN FRANCISCO, BUFILE ONE HUNDRED -FOUR FIVE ONE EIGHT ZERO TWO, LEGAT OTTOWA FILE ONE HUNDRED -ONE SIX NINE SEVEN. HER RESIDENCE IS [redacted], OAKLAND. [redacted] ATTENDED MEETING OF REVOLUTIONARY UNION,PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA,IN APRIL, ONE NINE SIX EIGHT. SHE IS SELF-ADMITTED MEMBER

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PEACE AND FREEDOM PARTY,FEBRUARY TO AUGUST,ONE NINE SIX EIGHT.

DESCRIBED WHITE, FEMALE, BORN [redacted],

FIVE FEET ONE, ONE HUNDRED TEN POUNDS.

[redacted] AKA, IS SUBJECT OF SM-SDS CASE, BUFILE

ONE HUNDRED - FOUR THREE EIGHT TWO EIGHT ONE. [redacted]

STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY WHO TRAVELED TO NORTH

VIETNAM IN ONE NINE SIX EIGHT, IN DEFIANCE UNITED STATES STATE

DEPARTMENT BAN.

BERKELEY CALIFORNIA [redacted]

LISTED TO [redacted] AND [redacted]

[redacted], BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA. [redacted] IS [redacted]

[redacted], IS ALSO [redacted] AFFILIATED

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WITH [redacted], WHO IS [redacted]

[redacted], IS AFFILIATED. [redacted] IN DECEMBER, ONE NINE SIX

EIGHT, WAS [redacted]

[redacted] BOTH [redacted] AND [redacted] IN

JULY, ONE NINE SIX EIGHT, [redacted]

BERKELEY [redacted], LISTED TO [redacted]

[redacted], BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA

([redacted] ADDRESS). SAN FRANCISCO FILES REFLECT [redacted]

[redacted], AKA, SUBJECT OF ARL CASE, CHICAGO: OO, WHO IS ALLEGED MEMBER

OF NATIONAL MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE TO END WAR IN VIETNAM, ALLEGEDLY

TRAVELED FROM BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA. TO CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, FOR

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PURPOSE OF DISRUPTING ONE NINE SIX EIGHT DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION. HER BIRTH DATE IS [redacted]

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## DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 4/11/69.

An article appearing in the April 13, 1969 edition of the "Contra Costa Times", Walnut Creek, Calif., which is from Los Angeles (AP) source, reflects that a spokesman of the Black Panthers in Los Angeles has said, "An important letter from someone out of the country" would be made known at a rally in Los Angeles today.

The San Diego Office has advised concerning the results of their check of listings are telephone numbers in that area called from the telephone located at the Subject's former residence in San Francisco. Some of these telephone numbers checked out to persons active in the New Left Movement, Black Nationalist Movement, and the Peace and Freedom Party. The listed persons were uncooperative at the time of prior interviews.

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The Washington Field Office has reported the results of the review of INS files concerning the following passengers who were aboard the Cuban ship Conrado Benitez which sailed from Montreal, Canada en route Havana,

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Cuba, 12/14/68. [redacted] possibly identical to one [redacted] who was listed on the membership mailing list for the July 26 Movement.

[redacted], birthdate [redacted], formerly employed as [redacted] possibly identical to member of an organization formed in New York City in 1964 composed of people strongly in favor of FIDEL CASTRO and the Communist form of government in Cuba.

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LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: In regard to the newspaper article, will contact logical sources and ascertain if a Black Panther rally was held in Los Angeles 4/13/69 and if any mention was made at the rally relative to an important letter from someone out of the country or if the Subject's name was mentioned.

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ON INSTANT DATE, [redacted] ADVISED THAT A CRATE OF FURNITURE BEING SHIPPED UNDER PIE FREIGHT BILL THREE FIVE EIGHT ZERO FIVE ZERO NINE, WHICH LEFT SAN FRANCISCO APRIL EIGHT, LAST, LEFT AKRON, OHIO VIA PIE AT NOON EST TODAY, ENROUTE BUFFALO, NEW YORK, WHERE IT WILL BE "INTERLINED" TO DIRECT WINTERS TRUCKING CO., WHICH WILL DELIVER SHIPMENT TO UNIVERSAL HOUSEHOLD MOVERS, ONE FOUR EIGHT NORFINCE DR., DOWNSVIEW, ONT., CANADA. UNIVERSAL WILL THEN DELIVER TO CONSIGNEE, [redacted] CARE OF [redacted], TORONTO, CANADA.

FOR INFO BUFFALO, THIS SHIPMENT GROSS WEIGHT ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SIXTY POUNDS IS HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS BELIEVED PROPERTY OF SUBJECT [redacted] WAS SHIPPED BY FRIEND OF [redacted] PACKED FOR OVERSEAS SHIPMENT. LEGAT, OTTAWA HAS FURNISHED NAME OF UNIVERSAL HOUSEHOLD MOVERS AS RELIABLE AND COOPERATIVE FOR FINAL DELIVERY. [redacted], A WHITE FEMALE, [redacted]

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[redacted] REPORTEDLY SAILED FROM NEW ORLEANS PORT FOR UNKNOWN DESTINATION MARCH EIGHTEEN, LAST. INFORMANTS PREVIOUSLY ADVISED SHE WAS LOOKING FOR HOUSE IN TRINIDAD.

BUFFALO CONTACT [redacted] AND DIRECT WINTERS CO., TO ASSURE THAT SHIPMENT IS DELIVERED BY DIRECT WINTERS TO UNIVERSAL HOUSEHOLD MOVERS.

REQUEST BUREAU ADVISE LEGAT, OTTAWA OF STATUS OF SHIPMENT.

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3CC-Mr. Trainor

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San Francisco promptly contact [redacted] at his residential address set forth above and determine details concerning [redacted] and advise Bureau results.

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NOTE: Search of Bureau indices reveals no record identifiable with [redacted] per Miss DeLoach, Records Section.

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TO : Mr. D. J. Brennan, Jr.

DATE: April 15, 1969

FROM : S. J. Papich

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**ACTION:**

The above information is being directed to the attention of the Fugitive Section and the Racial Intelligence Section.

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1 - [redacted]
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RE PREVIOUS COMMUNICATIONS CONCERNING POSSIBLE TRIP [redacted] TO CANADA.

ON THE MORNING OF APRIL SEVENTEEN, ONE NINE SIX NINE, [redacted] [redacted] TELEPHONICALLY FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

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ON [redacted] CONTACTED INFORMANT BY PHONE. STATED THAT SHE COULD NOT DISCUSS HER BUSINESS ON PHONE [redacted]

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[redacted] RESIDES AT [redacted] BERKELEY, CALIF. BY TELEPHONE CALL [redacted] INFORMANT ADVISED [redacted]

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CABLEGRAM TO OTTAWA
RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

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[redacted] SHE STATED AT THIS TIME THAT SHE AND [redacted] WERE DEPARTING FOR NEW YORK AND TORONTO AS SOON AS THEIR TRAVEL COULD BE ARRANGED, PROBABLY NOT BEFORE SATURDAY, APRIL NINETEEN. [redacted]

ON APRIL SEVENTEEN, LAST, [redacted], INS, SAN FRANCISCO, ADVISED THAT [redacted] INS FILE, [redacted], REFLECTS THAT SHE APPEARED AT INS ON APRIL SIXTEEN, ONE NINE SIX NINE, REQUESTING HER I ONE FIVE ONE (GREEN CARD). SHE STATED THAT SHE HAD NEVER RECEIVED THE CARD. SHE DID NOT HAVE A PHOTOGRAPH IN HER POSSESSION AND STATED THAT SHE WOULD GET ONE AND RETURN ON APRIL SEVENTEEN TO OBTAIN THE GREEN CARD. [redacted] FURTHER ADVISED THAT HE REVIEWED THE FILE AND DID NOT FIND ANY NOTATION REFLECTING THAT A GREEN CARD HAD ALREADY BEEN ISSUED TO [redacted] b6 b7C

FOR INFO LEGAT, [redacted] IS [redacted]

[redacted] SHE IS A WHITE

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CABLEGRAM TO OTTAWA
RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

FEMALE, APPROXIMATELY FIVE FEET TWO INCHES, ONE HUNDRED TEN POUNDS, LONG DARK HAIR, BLUE EYES, NORMALLY UNKEMPT IN APPEARANCE. [redacted]
IT IS POSSIBLE, HOWEVER, THAT HE MIGHT JOIN CLEAVER AND [redacted] DURING THIS TRIP. HE IS FULLY DESCRIBED IN KEY ACTIVIST ALBUM.

SAN FRANCISCO MAINTAINING CONTACT WITH SOURCES TO DETERMINE ITINERARY OF [redacted] AND [redacted] TO NEW YORK AND TORONTO. NEW YORK IS ALERTING SOURCES AND INFORMANTS FOR COVERAGE DURING THEIR STAY IN THAT AREA.

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RE SAN FRANCISCO AIRTEL DATED APRIL TWO, LAST, ADVISING THAT [redacted] REQUESTED THAT SIX HUNDRED AND SEVENTYEIGHT POUNDS OF HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS BE PACKED IN WATER TIGHT CONTAINERS FOR POSSIBLE OVERSEAS SHIPMENT AND REQUESTED SHIPMENT TO BE DIRECTED TO [redacted] IN CARE OF [redacted] TORONTO, CANADA.

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ON THE MORNING OF APRIL SEVENTEEN, ONE NINE SIX NINE, [redacted] TELEPHONICALLY FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

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ON [redacted] CONTACTED INFORMANT BY PHONE. STATED THAT SHE COULD NOT DISCUSS HER BUSINESS ON PHONE [redacted]

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[redacted]

[redacted] RESIDES AT [redacted]

BERKELEY, CALIF. [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] SHE STATED AT THIS TIME THAT SHE AND

[redacted] WERE DEPARTING FOR NEW YORK AND TORONTO AS

SOON AS THEIR TRAVEL COULD BE ARRANGED, PROBABLY NOT BEFORE

SATURDAY, APRIL NINETEENTH.

[redacted]

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[redacted]

THIS INFORMANT CAN BE CHARACTERIZED AS HAVING

FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST.

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ON ~~THIS DATE~~ 4-17 last [redacted], INS,

SAN FRANCISCO, ADVISED THAT [redacted] INS FILE, [redacted]

[redacted], REFLECTS THAT SHE APPEARED AT

INS ON APRIL SIXTEEN, ONE NINE SIX NINE, REQUESTING HER I

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ATION REFLECTING THAT A GREEN CARD HAD ALREADY BEEN ISSUED

TO [redacted]

FOR INFO ~~NEW YORK~~ LEGAT, [redacted] IS [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] SHE IS A WHITE FEMALE, APPROXIMATELY FIVE FEET

TWO INCHES, ONE HUNDRED TEN POUNDS, LONG DARK HAIR,

BLUE EYES, NORMALLY UNKEMPT IN APPEARANCE. [redacted]

[redacted] IT IS POSSIBLE,

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HOWEVER, THAT HE MIGHT JOIN [redacted] AND [redacted] DURING THIS TRIP. HE IS FULLY DESCRIBED IN KEY ACTIVIST ALBUM.

[redacted] APPEARS TO BE IDENTICAL TO [redacted]. ACCORDING TO CANADIAN SOURCES, [redacted] WAS ACTIVE IN LABOR PROGRESSIVE PARTY AND ITS SUCCESSOR THE CP OF CANADA FROM NINETEEN FORTYTHREE TO NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN, AT WHICH TIME HE "DRIFTED AWAY."

SAN FRANCISCO WILL MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH SOURCES IN EFFORT TO DETERMINE PROPOSED ITINERARY OF [redacted] [redacted] AND [redacted] TO NEW YORK. NEW YORK WILL ALERT SOURCES AND INFORMANTS FOR THEIR ARRIVAL AND ACTIVITIES IN THAT AREA. ALSO ENDEAVOR TO OBTAIN INFO RE PROPOSED TRIP OF [redacted] AND [redacted] INTO CANADA TOWARDS THE END OF APRIL, NINETEEN SIXTYNINE.

BUREAU ALERT LEGAT, OTTAWA RE THIS INFO.

CLEAVER SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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cc- Mr. Sullivan

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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239
WF 447
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UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
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DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 4/15/69.

[redacted] advises the crate of furniture which left San Francisco 4/8/69, left Akron, Ohio 4/14/69 and will be "interlined" to Direct Winters Trucking Co. which will deliver to Universal Household Movers.

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Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 4/17/69.

On [redacted] advised that [redacted] indicated that she [redacted] She stated that she and [redacted] were departing for New York and Toronto as soon as their travel could be arranged, probably not before April 19, 1969.

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On 4/17 and 4/18/69, [redacted] Investigator, INS, San Francisco, contacted. He advised that [redacted] as [redacted] did appear on 4/16/69 requesting her alien registration card. [redacted] stated that [redacted] advised that she would get a photograph and return on 4/17/69 with the photograph and obtain the alien registration card. On 4/18/69 [redacted] advised that [redacted] had not yet appeared for her alien registration card.

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American Air Lines and United Air Lines believed to be most logical commercial air lines to get from San

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Francisco to Toronto via New York City. Checks made for reservations for either [redacted] or [redacted]. Results negative. Stops placed. Airport detachment, San Mateo County, Sheriff's Office, alerted.

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DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 4/16/69.

The Los Angeles Office has furnished the results of investigation conducted regarding Los Angeles area telephone numbers called from telephone located at Subject's former residence. Persons contacted as a result of a check of these listings include the following:

[redacted] California Prison No. [redacted]
(inmate at California Institution for Men, Chino, Calif.)

[redacted], Los Angeles, California,
[redacted] of AL PRENTICE CARTER, BPP member "deceased".

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[redacted], Pacific Palasades, California (possible Peace and Freedom Party member).

The above persons and others interviewed as a result of telephone checks failed to develop any information re Subject's whereabouts.

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(OO: SF)

ReSFtel to BU, 4/14/69, requesting contact with [redacted] Buffalo, N.Y., [redacted], Buffalo, concerning shipment of household goods on Freight Bill #3580509 from San Francisco to Toronto, Canada.

[redacted] Buffalo, N.Y., was contacted on 4/14 and 4/15/69, and advised that this shipment arrived in Buffalo, N.Y., on the morning of 4/15/69 and was transferred to the Direct-Winters Transportation, Ltd., Buffalo, N.Y., at Noon on 4/15/69.

[redacted], Buffalo, N.Y., advised that the above crate of household goods was turned over to his company shortly after noon on 4/15/69, and left Buffalo, N.Y., by truck for Toronto, Canada, about 10:00 P.M., 4/15/69. [redacted] alerted this office to the estimated time of departure of the crate in contact with the Buffalo Office at 4:45 PM, 4/15/69. This information was furnished to Legat, Ottawa, by telephone, and to [redacted]

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At 9:45 PM, [redacted], Buffalo, advised this office that the crate would leave Buffalo at 10:00 PM and was expected to arrive in Toronto at approximately 1:00 AM on 4/16/69. It was also learned that the crate would be delivered to the Mid-Continent Truck Terminal, Queens Way Road, on the outskirts of Toronto, a bonded warehouse, where Canadian Customs will examine the trailer. The foregoing additional information was passed on to [redacted]

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To: SAC, San Francisco

From: Director, FBI (100-447251) — 537

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Legat, Ottawa has received request from [redacted] for [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

San Francisco handle promptly in order that appropriate dissemination can be made to [redacted] b7D

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251)

FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (157-46) 1P

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FOR INFORMATION [redacted] ADVISES [redacted]

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[redacted] SAN FRANCISCO WILL BE ADVISED.

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[redacted] BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED ACCORDINGLY.

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~~CORRECTION IN LINE SIX PARA TWO SHOULD BE~~ [redacted]

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3cc - Mr. Trainor

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 4/15/69

FROM: LEGAT, MEXICO CITY (100-3184) P

RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
I.O. #4239, W. F. #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
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Re Mexico City airtel 4/10/69.

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On 4/14/69, [redacted] furnished the results of his investigation [redacted] as follows:

A marriage certificate obtained [redacted] revealed the following information concerning the marriage of [redacted] and [redacted]:

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The above-named individuals were married on [redacted] at [redacted] before the [redacted] was described as age 36 years, occupation [redacted] residence [redacted] marital status [redacted] nationality [redacted] parents [redacted] and [redacted] father born in [redacted], mother born in [redacted], residence [redacted]

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[redacted] was described as age 24 years, occupation [redacted] residence [redacted] marital status [redacted] born in [redacted], nationality [redacted] parents [redacted] and [redacted]

Witnesses to the ceremony were [redacted], age 27, [redacted], home address [redacted]

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age 54 [redacted] home address [redacted] age 18, [redacted] age 23, [redacted] home address [redacted]

[redacted] on 4/11/69 conducted extensive investigation [redacted] Results of this investigation could not support any indication that captioned subject was the individual observed [redacted]

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Additional investigation in Mexico is being held in abeyance pending the receipt of investigative results from [redacted]

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161321) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP

ReSFairtel to Bureau, 4/10/69.

On 4/16/69, [redacted] with whom insufficient contact has been had to determine reliability, advised that the Negro female he previously referred to as [redacted] LNU is definitely not [redacted] b2 b6 b7C b7D

Source advised that [redacted] who also uses the name of [redacted] but whose last name is unknown to source, personally told source in December of 1968, that she always knew the whereabouts of CLEAVER or at least could contact him.

Source stated that [redacted] is reportedly a student at college in either Santa Barbara, California or Boston, Massachusetts. In Boston, Massachusetts she is reportedly an associate of [redacted] b6 b7C

[redacted] also advised source of the information re "lay low" houses for fugitives, operated by BPP in California. Source has no specific information re location of these residences and only knows of existence from conversation with [redacted]

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2 - Bureau (RM)
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AT BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS. Will, through sources, attempt to ascertain if [redacted] or [redacted] known in BPP circles in area.

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Cover same lead as set forth for Boston, Massachusetts.

AT SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA. Cover same lead as set forth for Boston, Massachusetts.

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FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161321) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO 4239, WF 447; RM-BPP;
UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

On 4/18/69, [redacted] (Protect), with whom insufficient contact has been made to determine reliability, advised that he was contacted on 4/15/69, by one [redacted] New York, and who made the following proposal to source:

[redacted] desires source, through [redacted] in United States. [redacted] indicated [redacted] and indicated they would be prepared in the immediate future.

Source initially indicated that he would be interested in such a proposition and [redacted] stated that he will [redacted] Bureau will be furnished a copy.

Source advised that he does not know the identity of [redacted] careful to reveal such identity.

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1 - New York [redacted]
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[redacted] also gave no indication to source that he was aware of the whereabouts of CLEAVER, but source feels that his mention of FIDEL CASTRO as [redacted], indicates a possibility that subject could be in Cuba.

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Ottawa advised 7:25 p
Buffalo advised 7:36 p
Phone call from S.F.
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7-43PM URGENT 4/22/69 JOC

TO DIRECTOR (100-447251), BUFFALO (157-649), AND NEW YORK

(100-161321) NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329)(P) CODE 3P

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO SF.

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REMYTEL TO BUREAU APRIL TWENTYONE LAST.

PASSENGER AGENT, UNITED AIRLINES, SAN FRANCISCO AIRPORT, ADVISES THAT ONE [redacted] AND TWO OTHER PERSONS USING LAST NAME [redacted] HOLD RESERVATIONS ON FLIGHT ONE THREE ZERO, LEAVING SAN FRANCISCO THREE TEN PM ~~TODAY~~ 4-22-69 ENROUTE TORONTO, CANADA, VIA CHICAGO. FLIGHT ARRIVES CHICAGO NINE PM CHICAGO TIME, DEPARTING NINE FORTY PM. ARRIVES TORONTO ELEVEN ~~FIFTYTWO~~ PM, TORONTO TIME 4-22-69.

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AMERICAN AIRLINES PASSENGER AGENT ADVISES THAT ~~THEY~~ HAD RECEIVED PRE PAID RESERVATIONS FOR [redacted]

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[redacted] (POSSIBLY BPP MEMBER [redacted]) WHO WERE SCHEDULED TO DEPART SAN FRANCISCO ONE THIRTY PM ~~TODAY~~ 4-22-69 VIA AMERICAN AIRLINES ENROUTE TORONTO. CHECK AT AIRPORT AT ONE THIRTY REVEALED THESE PEOPLE DID NOT BOARD THIS FLIGHT. RESERVATIONS HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN MADE AND PREPAID BY ONE [redacted] TORONTO, CANADA, TELEPHONE NUMBER PRESUMABLY TORONTO, [redacted]

INFORMANT, BERKELEY, CALIF., ADVISES THAT [redacted] HAD TOLD INFORMANT ~~THIS DATE~~ 4-22-69 THAT SHE WAS GOING TO BE AT SAN FRANCISCO AIRPORT TO BOARD A THREE PM FLIGHT. [redacted] DESCRIBED WFA, FIVE FEET 5'11" ONE INCH, ONE ONE ZERO 110 LBS., BROWN, BLUE, AGE TWENTYFIVE.

[redacted] AND [redacted] BOARDED FLIGHT ONE THREE ZERO AS SCHEDULED. THIRD RESERVATION NOT USED. [redacted] WEARING ROUND SHAPED LIGHT BEIGE HAT AND BLACK LEATHER COAT. [redacted] WEARING BLACK LEATHER COAT AND BROWN MINI SKIRT, BLACK STOCKINGS.

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BUFFALO ~~IMMEDIATELY~~ INSTRUCTED TO ADVISE [redacted] OF ESTIMATED ARRIVAL TIME FOR FLIGHT ONE THREE ZERO, UAL, AND OTHER INFO RE THE AMERICAN AIRLINES RESERVATION. REQUEST [redacted] DISCREETLY COVER [redacted]

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BUFFALO ADVISED SEPARATELY.

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN

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6-20 PM URGENT 4-23-69 JON 2P

TO DIRECTOR (100-447251)

FROM NEWARK (157-2679)

IO#4239 WF#447

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, AKA FUGITIVE, UFAC-ASSUALT TO COMMIT MURDER.

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RE NK TEL TO BUREAU AND NH FOUR TWO THREE INSTANT.

INVESTIGATION AT SKYLARK LOUNGE, EIGHTY SIX ELIZABETH AVE., NEWARK, THIS DATE LOCATED [redacted] NOTED IO PHOTO OF SUBJECT AND STATED SUBJECT UNKNOWN TO HIM AS PATRON OF THIS BAR. AGENTS NOTED NEGRO MALE BEARING RESEMBLENCE TO SUBJECT SITTING ALONE AT BAR AND SUBSEQUENTLY IDENTIFIED THIS PERSON AS [redacted] NEGRO MALE, DOB [redacted] PRODUCED SEVERAL ITEMS OF IDENTIFICATION INCLUDING DRIVERS LICENSE ISSUED IN MAY NINETEEN SIXTY-SIX. [redacted] STATED HE WAS WAITING FOR GIRLFRIEND.

INVESTIGATION AT LITTLE NICK'S BAR, ONE TWO FOUR ELIZABETH AVE., PRODUCED NO INFO RELATIVE TO SUBJECT' S ALLEGED PRESENCE IN NK AREA.

SUBJECT ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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From: Director, FBI (100-447251)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
FUGITIVE
I.O. #4239
W.F. #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Although extensive investigation has been conducted to locate captioned fugitive, his location has not been pinpointed to date.

All offices receiving this communication should upon receipt, immediately conduct thorough file review concerning Cleaver's past activities and initiate independent investigation

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within your division comparable to that which is self-initiated in Top Ten Fugitive matters. Insure that a maximum investigative effort is being made to locate and apprehend this subject at the earliest possible time.

Bear in mind offers of monetary incentives to racial informants or other sources who may be able to furnish information which will lead directly to subject's arrest by Bureau Agents.

The importance of this case cannot be overemphasized and it is expected each office will vigorously pursue this investigation on a continuous basis until subject is taken into custody.

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FBI NEW HAVEN

3:26 PM URGENT 4/23/69 JAM

TO: DIRECTOR AND NEWARK (AIRMAIL SAN FRANCISCO)

FROM: NEW HAVEN (88-3256) (RUC)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, AKA, FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM-BPP, UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO: SAN FRANCISCO

RE NEW HAVEN TELEPHONE CALL TO NEWARK, THIS DATE.

[redacted] STAMFORD, CONN., OBSERVED WANTED FLIER ON SUBJECT AT STAMFORD PD THIS DATE AND ADVISED THAT HE OBSERVED A COLORED MALE IDENTICAL WITH THE NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT PHOTOGRAPH OF THE SUBJECT IN NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, ON APRIL EIGHTEEN, LAST. [redacted] STATED THIS PERSON WAS IN THE SKYLARK LOUNGE, ELIZABETH AND PARNELL STREETS, NEWARK, AT APPROXIMATELY TWO THIRTY P.M. ON APRIL EIGHTEEN, LAST, AND WAS DRINKING BEER BY HIMSELF.

[redacted] ADVISED HE IS FAMILIAR WITH MOST PATRONS OF THIS BAR WHICH IS A HANGOUT FOR NEGRO MILITANTS AND NOTICED THIS PERSON TO BE A STRANGER WHO WAS STANDING ALONE AT THE BAR. [redacted] STATED HE INQUIRED OF THE BARTENDER, [redacted] (LNU), RE THIS UNSUB AND BARTENDER ADVISED HE WAS UNKNOWN TO HIM.

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[redacted] DESCRIBED UNSUB AS A COLORED MALE, FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, ONE SEVENTY FIVE POUNDS, WITH HIS HAIR GROWN OUT IN AFRICAN STYLE, NO BEARD, VERY HEAVY MOUSTACHE. WEARING BLACK LEATHER JACKET, CHECKERED SHIRT, AND DARK PANTS.

[redacted] ADDED THAT THE NEGRO PERSONS WHO FREQUENT THE SKYLARK LOUNGE ALSO PATRONIZE NICK'S TAVERN, LOCATED AT ~~TWO S~~ ONE TWO SEVEN ELIZABETH STREET, IN NEWARK.

NEWARK IS COGNIZANT OF ABOVE INFORMATION.

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~~ADDRESS OF NICK'S TAVERN SHOULD BE 127 ELIZABETH ST.~~

~~HOLD PLS~~

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN

3 CC- Mr. Trainor

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251)

FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (157-46) 2P

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[redacted] TODAY ADVISED [redacted]

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[redacted] FURTHER ADVISED FBI, BUFFALO, HAD BEEN ADVISED.

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FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (157-46) 2P

~~MR. TRAINOR~~
~~ROOM 836 JEH~~

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SUPVR. FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, 1319 OO - SF.

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[redacted] TODAY ADVISED [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] FURTHER ADVISED FBI, BUFFALO, HAD BEEN ADVISED.

[redacted] SUBSEQUENTLY ADVISED TODAY [redacted]

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TO LEGAT OTTAWA

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (100-447251) — 547

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO: SAN FRANCISCO.

FOR INFORMATION LEGAT, OTTAWA THERE IS NO INFO INDICATING PAST COMMUNICATION BETWEEN [redacted] AND SUBJECT. NO INDICATION THAT FURNITURE SHIPPED BELONGS TO [redacted]

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INS, SAN FRANCISCO, ADVISED [redacted] PICKED UP ALIEN REGISTRATION CARD FOUR EIGHTEEN, LAST, STATING NEEDED FOR TRIP TO CANADA. [redacted] ADVISED FOUR TWENTYONE, LAST, THAT [redacted] AND [redacted] LEAVING SAN FRANCISCO AFTERNOON OF FOUR TWENTYTWO, INSTANT, FOR NEW YORK CITY AND THEN TORONTO, CANADA. [redacted] WILL VISIT HER PARENTS, ACCORDING TO SOURCE. [redacted] STATES [redacted] IS GOING TO BE IN TORONTO, CANADA, ON FOUR TWENTYFOUR, NEXT. SHE WILL BE AT [redacted] SAN FRANCISCO

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CABLEGRAM TO OTTAWA
RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

CONTINUING EFFORTS TO ASCERTAIN EXACT FLIGHT FROM SAN FRANCISCO AND WILL ADVISE.

INFORMATION FROM [redacted] REFLECTS THE BPP DETROIT, MICHIGAN, IS SENDING A FEW REPRESENTATIVES, IDENTITIES UNKNOWN, TO BE WITH [redacted] IN TORONTO. [redacted] (LNU) [redacted] IS ALLEGEDLY INVOLVED IN ARRANGEMENTS.

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BUFFALO ADVISING [redacted] OF PERTINENT INFO.

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TO: DIRECTOR, (100-447251), BUFFALO AND NEW YORK (100-161321)

NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON

FROM: SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE.IO NUMBER FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF NUMBER FOUR FOUR SEVEN. RM-BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER.

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REMYAIRTEL FOUR SEVEN LAST AND MY TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU AND NEW YORK, FOUR SEVENTEEN LAST, AND REBUAIRTEL FOUR SEVENTEEN LAST.

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ALBUQUERQUE SOURCE HAS ADVISED THAT [redacted] ARRIVED [redacted] THREE TWENTYNINE LAST, AND HAS BEEN IN CONTACT WITH [redacted] THERE IS NO INFO INDICATING PAST COMMUNICATION BETWEEN [redacted] AND SUBJECT. NO INDICATION THAT FURNITURE SHIPPED BELONGS TO [redacted]

INS, SAN FRANCISCO, ADVISED [redacted] PICKED UP ALIEN REGISTRATION CARD FOUR EIGHTEEN LAST, STATING NEEDED FOR TRIP TO CANADA. [redacted] ADVISED ~~TO-DAY~~ 4-21 last THAT [redacted] AND [redacted] LEAVING SAN FRANCISCO AFTERNOON OF FOUR TWENTYTWO NEXT, FOR NEW YORK ~~CITY AND THEN~~ TORONTO, CANADA. [redacted] WILL VISIT HER PARENTS, ACCORDING TO SOURCE. [redacted] STATES [redacted] IS GOING TO BE IN TORONTO.

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CANADA ON FOUR TWENTYFOUR NEXT. SHE WILL BE AT [redacted] b6 b7C

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SAN FRANCISCO CONTINUING EFFORTS TO ASCERTAIN EXACT FLIGHT FROM SAN FRANCISCO AND WILL ADVISE NEW YORK AND BUREAU IMMEDIATELY WHEN INFO RECEIVED.

INFORMATION FROM [redacted] REFLECTS b2 b6 b7C b7D

THE BPP DETROIT, MICH. IS SENDING A FEW REPRESENTATIVES identities unknown TO BE WITH [redacted] IN TORONTO. [redacted] (LNU) OF [redacted] [redacted] IS ALLEGEDLY INVOLVED IN ARRANGEMENTS.

BUFFALO ADVISE info [redacted], OF PERTINENT INFO. b6 b7C b7D

NEW YORK ALERT SOURCES RE [redacted] ARRIVAL THERE.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251)

FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (157-46)

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO - SF.

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REBUTEL FOUR TWO TWO LAST.

[redacted] AND [redacted] ARRIVED TORONTO EARLY AM TODAY ~~TODAY~~ VIA UNITED AIRLINES. WENT DIRECTLY TO RESIDENCE [redacted] AND REMAINED FOR NIGHT.

[redacted] ASSURED LEGAT [redacted]

[redacted], ADVISE [redacted]

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[redacted] FURTHER ADVISE [redacted]

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251) AND SAN FRANCISCO

(88-12329) (C O D E)

SAN FRANCISCO VIA WASHINGTON

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK (100-161321)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAP - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER. OO..SF.

AT SIX FIFTEEN PM, THIS DATE, DETECTIVE [redacted], PORT AUTHORITY POLICE DEPARTMENT, NYC, ADVISED THAT [redacted] BOARDED AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT NUMBER FIFTEEN, AT KENNEDY AIRPORT, NYC, AT SIX PM, EN ROUTE SAN FRANCISCO. [redacted] FURTHER ADVISED THAT [redacted] IS TRAVELING WITH A MALE NEGRO WHO LISTED NAME AS [redacted], AND ALSO FEMALE NEGRO LISTED AS [redacted]. [redacted] UNABLE TO FURNISH ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

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SAN FRANCISCO TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED.

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 4/18/69 and mytels 4/21 and 4/22/69.

Referenced teletypes submitted in lieu of daily airtel summaries.

[redacted] New York Office, advises that one [redacted] in New York, has proposed that source [redacted]. Source of opinion that subject possibly in Cuba. b6 b7C b7D

Another New York source advises that [redacted] also uses the name of [redacted] and is a student at college in either Santa Barbara, Calif., or Boston, Mass. [redacted] previously mentioned as always knowing subject's whereabouts. b6 b7C

Household goods which were shipped from San Francisco, 4/8/69, have arrived Toronto and are stored at Mid-Continental Custom Bonded Warehouse. [redacted] will be advised if furniture is moved. [redacted] Toronto, says she will contact [redacted] for directions as to disposition. b6 b7C b7D

2 - Bureau
2 - San Francisco
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[redacted] has advised that [redacted] arrived in [redacted] and [redacted] departed San Francisco, 4/22/69, 3:10 p.m., United Airlines Flight 130, enroute Toronto, Canada, E.T.A. 11:52 p.m., 4/22/69. Source had previously advised that [redacted] would be [redacted] ) while in Toronto.

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Legat, Paris, has advised that lookalike previously reported observed in Rabat, Morocco, determined by local authorities as not identical to subject.

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IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

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DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 4/23/69 and Bureau airtel to San Francisco 4/17/69.

Two copies of referenced Bureau airtel are enclosed for Los Angeles.

The San Francisco City Directory reflects that [redacted] and [redacted] reside at [redacted] Inquiry at this residence reflected that [redacted] currently resides at [redacted], Los Angeles, and has resided there since August, 1968. His phone number is [redacted] He is reportedly [redacted] in Los Angeles.

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LOS ANGELES DIVISION

At Los Angeles, Calif.- Will, pursuant to referenced Bureau airtel, interview [redacted].

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2 - Los Angeles (Encls. 2)
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FBI NEW YORK

6:50 PM URGENT 4-25-69 AWS

TO DIRECTOR 100-447251, AND SAN FRANCISCO 88-12329 (CODE)

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

SAN FRANCISCO VIA WASHINGTON

FROM NEW YORK 100-161321

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE,

WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN; RM-BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER.

RE BU TEL APRIL TWENTYFIVE, INSTANT.

[redacted] ADVISED THAT [redacted] [redacted] WILL ADDRESS BPP SECTION MEETING APRIL TWO FIVE, INSTANT. TELEPHONE NUMBER MENTIONED LISTED TO [redacted] [redacted] b2 b6 b7C b7D

NYO WILL COVER MEETING AND HAS ALERTED INFORMANTS TO DETERMINE [redacted] ITINERARY. b6 b7C

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cc- Mr. Sullivan

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251), NEW YORK (100-161321) AND [redacted]
SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329)
FROM BUFFALO (157-649)

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, IO NO. FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF NO. FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER.

RE SAN FRANCISCO TEL TO BUREAU. APRIL TWENTYTWO LAST, AND MYTELCALL TO NEW YORK, SIX THIRTYFIVE AM, INSTANT DATE.

[redacted], [redacted], TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED BUFFALO OFFICE THIS MORNING, [redacted]

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[redacted] EMPHASIZED ABOVE INFO DEVELOPED THROUGH EXTREMELY SENSITIVE SOURCES.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 4/24/69 and Buffalo airtel 4/25/69.

Buffalo Division advises that [redacted] states [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

New York source advises [redacted] will address BPP section meeting, New York City, 4/25/69.

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IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 4/25/69 and New York teletype 4/27/69.

New York City Port Authority Police Department advises [redacted] boarded American Airlines Flight #15, New York City, 4/27/69 enroute San Francisco, accompanied by a Negro male listed as [redacted] and also a Negro female listed as [redacted] b6 b7C

[redacted] advises at approximately 3:14 p.m., 3/27/69, that [redacted] just left New York City by American Airlines enroute San Francisco, probably accompanied by [redacted]. b2 b6 b7C b7D

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2 - Bureau
2 - San Francisco
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) 4/30/69

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-161321) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO 4239, WF 447,
RM - BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

Re New Haven airtel, 4/10/69.

On 4/28/69, [redacted] New York Telephone Company, 140 West Street, New York, NY, advised that telephone number 333-6608, both in the 212 and 516 area codes, is a non-existent exchange.

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[redacted] further advised that telephone number [redacted] has been listed to a [redacted] Brooklyn, NY, since 11/22/68.

NYO indices reflect several references to the name [redacted], but due to the lack of further identifying data, none of these references could be determined as identical.

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2 - New Haven (157-975) (RM)
2 - San Francisco (88-12329) (RM)
1 - New York

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, PITTSBURGH (157-1069) P

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT TO
COMMIT MURDER
OO - SAN FRANCISCO

Re New Haven airtel to Bureau dated 4/10/69.

Reairtel advised that a notebook, believed to have been formerly in the possession of [redacted] contained the name of [redacted] and the telephone number [redacted] and [redacted] no area code listed.

Pittsburgh was requested to ascertain the subscribers to the following telephones:

[redacted] Meadville, Pa.

Galeton, Pa.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Spragges, Pa.

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2 - Bureau (RM)
1 - New Haven (157-975)(Info)(RM)
2 - Philadelphia (RM)
1 - San Francisco (Info)(RM)
3 - Pittsburgh

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It is noted that Galeton, Pa., is located within the Philadelphia Division.

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PHILADELPHIA

At Galeton, Pa. (Potter County)

Will ascertain subscriber to telephone number [redacted], and conduct logical investigation in an effort to locate subject CLEAVER.

PITTSBURGH

At Meadville, Pa. (Crawford County)

Will ascertain subscriber to telephone number [redacted], and conduct appropriate investigation.

At Pittsburgh, Pa. (Allegheny County)

Will ascertain subscriber to telephone number [redacted], and conduct appropriate investigation.

At Spragges, Pa. (Greene County)

Will ascertain subscriber to telephone number [redacted], and conduct appropriate investigation.

CAUTION: CLEAVER SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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FBI NEW YORK

5:30 PM URGENT 4-30-69 WPK

TO DIRECTOR 100-447251 AND SAN FRANCISCO 88-12329 (CODE)

SAN FRANCISCO VIA WASHINGTON

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

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FROM NEW YORK 100-161321 4P

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE FIVE WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RACIAL MATTERS - BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER (OO-SAN FRANCISCO).

RENY AIRTEL, APRIL TWENTY ONE LAST.

ON INSTANT DATE [redacted] (PROTECT), WITH WHOM INSUFFICIENT CONTACT HAS BEEN MADE TO DETERMINE RELIABILITY, ADVISED THAT [redacted] MAILED TO HIM THE PREVIOUSLY REFERRED TO LETTER WHICH WAS TO BE SENT TO A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE BPP IN CALIFORNIA [redacted]

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SOURCE ADVISED THAT [redacted] MAY 5 1969 [redacted] LETTER TO MINISTER OF INFORMATION, BLACK PANTHER

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BOX, EIGHT SIX FOUR ONE, EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA, NINE

FOUR SIX ZERO EIGHT, [redacted]

[redacted] SOURCE STATED

[redacted] DID NOT INDICATE FROM WHERE HE OBTAINED THIS

ADDRESS BUT INTIMATED [redacted] COULD POSSIBLY

BE A COVER NAME FOR SUBJECT.

THE LETTER WHICH IS DATED [redacted]

READS AS FOLLOWS:

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SOURCE STATED THAT

SOURCE ADVISED HE HAD NO FURTHER SPECIFIC INFORMATION RE-
GARDING THIS LETTER OR THE INDIVIDUAL TO WHOM IT IS ADDRESSED.

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NYO INDICES NEGATIVE RE [redacted] IF NOT ALREADY DONE SAN FRANCISCO DETERMINE THE HOLDER OF BOX EIGHT SIX FOUR ONE, EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA, AND ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH APPROPRIATE LIAISON WITH POSTAL AUTHORITIES FOR POSSIBLE COVERAGE IN THE PICK UP OF INSTANT LETTER. THE NYO IS CURRENTLY IN POSSESSION OF THE ORIGINAL COPY OF THIS LETTER AND WILL NOT MAIL SAME UNTIL SAN FRANCISCO SUTELS THE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE.

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cc-Mr. Sullivan

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 4/30/69

FROM : SAC, TAMPA (88-5487) (P)

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ReTPlet, 2/28/69.

Contacts with racial informants, ghetto sources, local law enforcement agencies and Military Intelligence Units within the Tampa Division are made on a continuing basis. To date, no information has been obtained concerning present whereabouts of subject.

CONSIDER ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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2 - Bureau (RM)
2 - San Francisco (88-12329) (RM)
2 - Tampa
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TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: April 29, 1969

FROM : J. H. Gale

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
FUGITIVE
IDENTIFICATION ORDER 4239
ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER

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The following is submitted regarding placement of Cleaver on the Ten Most Wanted List. Consideration was afforded to the desirability of placing Cleaver on our list of Ten Most Wanted Fugitives. It is to be noted that we currently have one Negro on our List.

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It is to be noted our investigation has indicated that Cleaver is very possibly in Canada and perhaps in Cuba and it would not appear desirable to place such a fugitive on the List who is outside our territorial jurisdiction.

A parallel case involves Robert Franklin Williams, a Negro revolutionary, who is being sought under the Unlawful Flight Statute on the basis of a North Carolina charge of kidnaping which arose out of a racial incident. Williams is currently in communist China and at various times has been traced to Cuba and Tranzania. Conceivably, Cleaver, through the subversive underground, could be stashed away in a procommunist country.

A most intensive investigation is being conducted to locate Cleaver, It is not believed that our investigation would be furthered by placing him on the Ten Most Wanted List in view of the fact that our investigation has pointed to his being outside the country. It would be embarrassing to have him on the Ten Most Wanted List for a protracted period of time if he is out of the country.

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ACTION

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12 MAY 5 1969

The above is submitted for information.

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - Mr. Bishop
1 - Mr. Eddy
1 - Fugitive Supervisor

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 4/28/69.

CLEAVER lookalike reportedly seen at Skylark Lounge, Newark, N.J., 4/18/69, identified as [redacted] birthdate [redacted]

Sources, San Francisco, advised [redacted] has returned to San Francisco Bay area and is expected to appear in front of Federal Building, San Francisco, 5/1/69, at a rally relative to the release on bail of HUEY NEWTON pending an appeal hearing.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251) WASHINGTON FIELD (88-7106)

RICHMOND AND SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) PLAINTEXT

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

WASHINGTON FIELD AND SAN FRANCISCO VIA WASHINGTON

FROM NEW YORK (100-161321)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM-BPP, UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO..SF.

RE WASHINGTON FIELD TELETYPE MAY TWO LAST.

[redacted] NEW YORK TELEPHONE COMPANY, ADVISED MAY TWO LAST THAT RECORDS REFLECT THAT NUMBER TWO ONE TWO DASH SEVEN SIX SIX DASH ONE FOUR ONE FOUR WAS NON-EXISTENT AND THAT NUMBER [redacted] WAS LISTED TO [redacted] BRONX, NEW YORK. TELEPHONE INSTALLED NINE ONE SIXTY

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NYO INDICES CONTAIN NO IDENTIFIABLE REFERENCES TO [redacted] ON MAY THREE INSTANT INQUIRY AT [redacted] [redacted] BRONX, NEW YORK, REFLECTS IT AS A PREDOMINANTLY WHITE NEIGHBORHOOD IN THE VICINITY OF YANKEE STADIUM.

ATTEMPTS TO LOCATE [redacted] AT [redacted] WAS NEGATIVE THIS DATE.

[redacted] ADVISED THAT PHOTOGRAPHS OF SUBJECT NOT FAMILIAR AS A TENANT OF BUILDING OR AS A GUEST IN ANY APARTMENT.

[redacted] ADVISED THAT [redacted] ARE AWAY FOR THE WEEKEND AND THEY HAVE RESIDED [redacted] [redacted] FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO YEARS. [redacted] RESIDES IN A [redacted] AND [redacted] [redacted] ENJOYS A GOOD REPUTATION AND NOT KNOWN TO ASSOCIATE WITH NEGROES.

NEW YORK WILL CONTINUE INVESTIGATION AND INTERVIEW [redacted] UPON HIS RETURN ON MAY FIVE NEXT.

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN

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[redacted]

Dear [redacted]:

Although I would like to be of assistance in connection with your request of April 26th, material relating to fugitives currently being sought by the FBI is sent only to law enforcement agencies and specific areas where the most productive coverage can be obtained. Enclosed is some literature which I hope you will find of interest.

Sincerely yours,

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COMM-FBI

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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[redacted]

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Justice Department of the United States
Washington
District of Columbia
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Saturday, April Twenty-Sixth, 1969.

Dear Sirs;
Please send me ten (10) copies of: Wanted Flyer 447; issued: December 13th, 1968; for: Leroy Eldridge Cleaver; F.B.I. Number: 214, 830 B. Please send me only the large size wanted posters. Thank you very much for your time.

Sincerely,

[redacted]

CORRESPONDENCE

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1 Evening Star, advised our Washington Field of information he had received from an unidentified telephone operator who stated she tried unsuccessfully to give this information to several reporters. She advised [redacted] that a call was placed from Washington, D. C., to New York telephone numbers. The caller stated that he was trying to reach Eldridge Cleaver. According to the unidentified operator, Cleaver was reached at the second number. The caller has been identified as [redacted] of Arlington, Virginia. Cleaver is ranking member of the Black Panther Party who is charged with assault in connection with the shooting of a police officer in California. Investigation is being pressed by our New York Office to run out this information and an appropriate check is being made by Agents assigned to Alexandria, Virginia, to identify [redacted] This matter is being closely followed.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND SACS NEW YORK AND RICHMOND

FROM: ~~SAC, WFO~~ WASHINGTON FIELD (88-7106)

Unlawful Flight to Avoid Confinement

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER DASH FUGITIVE. ~~UFAC~~ DASH ASSAULT. IDENTIFICATION ORDER NUMBER FOUR TWO THREE NINE.

RE MY TELEPHONE CALL TO NEW YORK INSTANT DATE.

AT SIX THIRTY P.M. INSTANT DATE, [redacted] TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] CALLED WASHINGTON FIELD AND STATED THAT TODAY HE WAS CONFRONTED BY AN UNIDENTIFIED TELEPHONE OPERATOR WHO STATED THAT SHE TRIED TO TALK TO SEVERAL REPORTERS TO GIVE THEM INFORMATION ON SUBJECT, BUT NONE OF THESE REPORTERS SHOWED ANY INTEREST. SHE GAVE [redacted] THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

A TELEPHONE CALL WAS PLACED FROM WASHINGTON, D.C. TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] TO A NEW

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YORK TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] [redacted] BUT THERE WAS NO ANSWER THERE.

UNIDENTIFIED CALLER STATED TO UNIDENTIFIED TELEPHONE OPERATOR CALLER WAS TRYING TO REACH ELDRIDGE CLEAVER.

ANOTHER CALL FROM SAME DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA NUMBER TO NEW YORK TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] [redacted] REPORTEDLY REACHED CLEAVER ON THIS NUMBER.

IT WAS DETERMINED FROM CHESAPEAKE AND POTOMAC TELEPHONE COMPANY THAT TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] [redacted] SUBSCRIBED TO BY [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA.

NEW YORK DETERMINE SUBSCRIBERS OF ABOVE NEW YORK TELEPHONE NUMBERS. MAKE NECESSARY INQUIRIES AND ATTEMPT LOCATE SUBJECT AT EITHER PLACE.

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RICHMOND, AT ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA. DETERMINE BONA FIDES OF [redacted]

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~~ORIG.~~ MR. SULLIVAN

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TO : Director, FBI (100-447251)

DATE: 4/30/69

FROM : Legat, London (157-120) (RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
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Enclosed are 3 copies of a news clipping from the 3/14/69 "Black Dwarf", a militant Black Power-type publication.

Furnished for information.

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

Cuting from BLACK DWARF
Dated: 14.3.69.
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# ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

The Editor,

Eldridge Cleaver, Minister of Information of the Black Panther Party, former Presidential candidate, author of Soul on Ice and Senior Editor of Ramparts magazine, has been forced to become a fugitive from political persecution at the hands of the California Adult Authority, a body of political appointees wielding absolute power over the fate of parolees of the State's prisons — parolees who are deprived of the elementary constitutional provisions of due process.

On April 6, 1968 Cleaver was one of a number of Panthers arrested following an encounter with members of the Oakland police department in which Cleaver was wounded and 17 year old Bobby Hutton was killed. Cleaver, on parole after having served 9 years of a 14 year sentence, had his parole summarily revoked by the CAA without benefit of a hearing of any kind.

Cleaver was returned to prison until June 1968 when Judge Raymond Sherwin of the Solano (Calif.) Superior Court ordered that his parole be reinstated, having found that, "The peril to his parole status stemmed from no failure of personal rehabilitation, but from his undue eloquence in pursuing political goals . . . Cancellation was the product of a type of pressure unbecoming, to say the least, to the law enforcement paraphernalia of this state."

The Alameda County Court had set Cleaver's bail on the charges stemming from the April incident at the outrageous sum of 50,000 dollars. Having been restored to parole status, his release was secured by supplying a bondsman's fee of 5,000 dollars cash and the signing of a surety bond by six people. The signators to this letter are the six who signed that bond because they believed then that Cleaver was a political prisoner, as they believe now that he is a political fugitive.

Cleaver was willing to stand trial for the alleged shoot-out, for he was certain, as we were, that his innocence would be demonstrated at the trial. However, the Reagan administration was determined to get Cleaver back inside prison walls. It succeeded in getting a reversal of Judge Sherwin's order by the State Court of Appeals requiring Cleaver's return to prison on November 27, 1968, a date roughly one month in advance of the completion of his period of parole and also of the date when his trial was to be scheduled.

An appeal for a hearing before the U.S. Supreme Court was denied by Justice Marshall, and Cleaver, bereft of his constitutional rights to due process and fully convinced that if he returned to prison he faced the grave risk of being killed there because of his politics, chose to become a political exile.

We respect his judgment and his right to remain alive. We have no regrets about his action and our own role in securing his release from prison. We consider that the 50,000 dollar bail which has been forfeited was in truth a ransom for Cleaver's life exacted by the State of California. We ask assistance from those defenders of freedom who identify with our action and wish to share in meeting this obligation. Cheques should be made out to: Cleaver Bail Fund, c/o Charles Garry, Att., 341 Market St., San Francisco, Calif. 94105.

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TO : Mr. Gale

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FROM : A. B. Eddy

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IDENTIFICATION ORDER 4239, WANTED FLYER 447
RACIAL MATTER - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
UNLAWFUL FLIGHT TO AVOID CONFINEMENT -
ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

On May 2, 1969, [redacted] advised our Washington Field Office that a telephone operator had indicated that a telephone call was placed from Washington, D. C., to a New York telephone on May 2, 1969, and that the caller was attempting apparently to reach Eldridge Cleaver. Investigation has established that the call has no connection with Cleaver but was made as a ruse by a Georgetown University college student in an effort to avoid paying long distance telephone rates.

The caller in this instance has been identified as [redacted] who was telephoning his girl friend in New York City. The father of the girl friend has acknowledged that the call was received, however, Cleaver's name was used as a prearranged signal by [redacted] and the daughter to avoid paying the long distance telephone charges in the event the daughter was not at home.

Since investigation has established no apparent connection between the above telephone call and Cleaver, no further investigation is being conducted in regard to this incident.

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Above for information. Intensive fugitive investigation concerning Cleaver is continuing.

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FBI NEW YORK

9-29 PM URGENT 5-5-69 WPK

TO DIRECTOR 100-447251, WFO (88-7106) AND RICHMOND 100-10672 (PAID)

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-161321 2P

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE; IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM-BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER. OO-SF.

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ON MAY FIVE INSTANT, [redacted], BRONX, NEW YORK, ADVISED THAT [redacted], ARLINGTON, VA, IS THE CURRENT BOY FRIEND OF HIS DAUGHTER, [redacted] WHO RESIDES WITH [redacted]

[redacted] FURTHER STATED THAT HIS DAUGHTER AND [redacted] HAVE A PREARRANGED SIGNAL ON LONG DISTANCE, PERSON TO PERSON TELEPHONE CALLS, IN THAT HE WILL INQUIRE ABOUT AN INDIVIDUAL, NOT HIS DAUGHTER, AND IF HE GETS A NEGATIVE REPLY, HE REALIZES THAT HIS DAUGHTER IS NOT IN AND THUS [redacted] DOES NOT GET CREDITED WITH A CALL. HE STATED THAT THIS PAST WEEK, HIS DAUGHTER ADVISED HIM THAT [redacted] WOULD BE CALLING FOR

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HER AND THAT HE WOULD USE THE NAME OF ELDRIDGE CLEAVER AS A CODE, WHICH NAME NEANT NOTHING TO [redacted] HE DID IN FACT RECEIVE SUCH A CALL ON MAY TWO LAST AND HE PERSONALLY ACCEPTED SAME, RECOGNIZING THAT IT WAS FROM [redacted] AND THE CLEAVER WAS MERELY A CODE FOR HIS DAUGHTER WHO WAS HOME AT THE TIME.

[redacted] VOLUNTARILY ALLOWED ALL THE ROOMS OF HIS APARTMENT TO BE VIEWED BY AGENTS AND STATED THAT THE WHOLE MATTER WAS A PRANK AND HE WOULD INSTRUCT HIS DAUGHTER AND [redacted] NOT TO USE SUCH A SYSTEM IN THE FUTURE.

[redacted] FURTHER VERIFIED THAT [redacted] WAS A [redacted] STUDENT AT GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY AND THAT HE COMES FROM BELLE HARBOR, NY AND [redacted] COULD FURNISH NO FURTHER DATA AS TO HIS KNOWLEDGE OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF THE SUBJECT.

NO SPECIFIC LEAD BEING SET FORTH FOR RICHMOND AT ALEXANDRIA, VA., AS IT APPEARS THAT [redacted] COULD ADD NOTHING FURTHER TO THIS MATTER. AIRMAIL COPY SAN FRANCISCO.

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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
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DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 4/30/69, New York teletype to Bureau and San Francisco 4/30/69, and San Francisco teletype to Bureau and New York 4/30/69.

A PSI of the New York Office advised on 4/30/69 that [redacted] has furnished him with a letter for forwarding to a representative of the BPP in California [redacted] This letter is being forwarded to [redacted] BPP National Headquarters, P. O. Box 8641, Emeryville, Calif. b6 b7C b7D

Marin County Sheriff's Office has furnished address book of [redacted] subject of BPP investigation. This book includes known phone numbers of subject and [redacted] including phone number of [redacted] San Francisco, which is the current address of [redacted] b6 b7C

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SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

At Marin County Sheriff's Office, San Rafael

Will determine current whereabouts of [redacted] and interview him for any information regarding background and whereabouts of subject.

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Remyairtel 5/1/69.

[redacted] spoke at a rally relative to the release on bail of HUEY NEWTON pending an appeal hearing. This rally took place 5/1/69 in the plaza in front of the Federal Building, San Francisco. An estimated 4,000 persons were in attendance at this rally.

[redacted] recontacted regarding [redacted] departure from New Orleans via boat during March, 1969. Source could not recall the name of this boat but it was believed to start with the letter [redacted] and sounded like [redacted] (ph). No mention has been made of [redacted] since her departure, according to this informant.

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TO LEGAT OTTAWA

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (100-447251) - 570

LEROY EDDIE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE; WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO: SAN FRANCISCO.

INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM [redacted] SAN FRANCISCO, THAT [redacted] WHO ARRANGED FOR SHIPMENT OF HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS TO TORONTO, CANADA, CONTACTED [redacted] ON MAY FIVE, LAST, RE POSSIBLE TRACER ON SHIPMENT. STATED THAT SHE LEARNED FROM TORONTO THAT SHIPMENT COULD NOT BE RELEASED AND REASSIGNED TO OVERSEAS DESTINATION UNLESS [redacted] WHOSE NAME APPEARS AS CONSIGNOR, SIGNS FOR THE DIVERSION. [redacted] TOLD [redacted] TO HAVE CONSIGNEE CONTACT UNIVERSAL HOUSEHOLD MOVERS AND RELEASE SHIPMENT AND ORDER RESHIPPED TO ANOTHER DESTINATION.

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[redacted] INDICATED THE DESTINATION IS GERMANY, BUT SPECIFIED NO CITY AND MAY HAVE MENTIONED THIS AS CAMOUFLAGE.

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CABLEGRAM TO OTTAWA
RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

LEGAT, OTTAWA THROUGH SOURCES DETERMINE FROM UNIVERSAL HOUSEHOLD MOVERS, AS WELL AS CANADIAN CUSTOMS IF SHIPMENT CAN BE EXPEDITED IN ANY WAY AND DETERMINE THE ULTIMATE DESTINATION OF THESE GOODS. LEGAT BOND ADVISED.

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SUGGEST BUREAU HAVE LEGAT OTTAWA REQUEST [redacted]

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RM FBI WASH DC

cc - Mr. Sullivan

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DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/2/69.

Informants and law enforcement agencies have been contacted by Mobile Division concerning subject with no positive information being developed.

The Sacramento Division reports that check of the listings of phone numbers in that division called from subject's former telephones reveals that several are members of the BPP. One is [redacted] of the Black Students Union in Sacramento State College. b6 b7C

[redacted] advises no information regarding whereabouts of subject. b6 b7C b7D

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DAILY SUMMARY

Investigation at Hot Springs, Ark., resulted in no information being developed regarding subject at Oaklawn Jockey Club during spring racing meet there.

Several reported members of the Black Panther Party in the Albany Division were interviewed during March and April, 1969, concerning whereabouts of subject with negative results.

2 - Bureau
2 - San Francisco
(1 - 100-55520)
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TO: DIRECTOR, WFO (88-7106), AND NEW YORK

FROM RICHMOND (100-10672) P

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE. UFAC-ASSAULT.I.O.

NUMBER FOUR TWO THREE NINE.

RE WFO TEL TO BUREAU, NEW YORK, AND RICHMOND, MAYTWO LAST.

INSTANT DATE, [redacted], [redacted], ARLINGTON, VA., ADVISED THAT [redacted], WHITE MALE, SINGLE, BEATNIK-TYPE, RENTED [redacted] ON SEPT. FOURTEEN SIXTYSEVEN ON A NINE-MONTH LEASE AGREEMENT; THEREAFTER, RENTED APARTMENT ON A MONTHLY BASIS. ADVISED THAT ON JUNE ONE SIXTYEIGHT TO SEPT. FIFTEEN SIXTY EIGHT [redacted] SUBLEASED APARTMENT TO [redacted] WHITE MALE. HE STATED HE HAD RECEIVED A LETTER FROM [redacted] DATE APRIL THIRTY LAST ADVISING [redacted] WAS MOVING FROM APARTMENT ON MAY THIRTYONE NEXT. [redacted] STATED THAT TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE [redacted] HAS RESIDED IN THAT APARTMENT DURING THE LAST SEVERAL MONTHS BY HIMSELF. [redacted] STATED [redacted] HOME ADRESS IS LISTED AS [redacted] (BELLE HARBOR, N.Y.), OCCUPATION-STUDENT AT GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY, AND OWNS SIXTYFOUR SAAB.

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CHECK IN VICINITY OF [redacted] REVEALED ONLY ONE SIXTYFOUR SAAB, GRAY, BEARING SIXTYNINE VA. LIC. [redacted] WITH SIXTYEIGHT GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY STICKER NUMBER [redacted].

PHOTOGRAPH OF CLEAVER DISPLAYED TO FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS;

[redacted]

[redacted] ADVISED [redacted] WAS WHITE MALE, BEATNIK-TYPE, APPROXIMATELY FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, MEDIUM BUILD, AND TO THE BEST OF HIS KNOWLEDGE MIGHT BE LIVING WITH UNKNOWN FEMALE IN APT. [redacted]

INSTANT DATE, DMV RECORDS, RICHMOND, VA., CHECKED ON ABOVE LICENSE AND REVEALED OWNED BY [redacted], WHITE MALE, DOB [redacted] ONE HUNDRED FIFTYFIVE LBS., FIVE FEET TEN INCHES TALL, BROWN HAIR AND BROWN EYES, VA. DRIVER'S

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VH Res. [redacted]

[redacted] ARLINGTON, VA

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OPERATORS LIC. NUMBER [redacted], PRESENT ADDRESS [redacted] ARLINGTON, VA. VA DMV LISTS ADDRESS AS [redacted], ALEXANDRIA, VA. FOR SIXTYFOUR SAAB SEDAN, BEARING SIXTYNINE VA. LIC. [redacted].

NO FURTHER ACTION BEING TAKEN AT THIS TIME AT ALEXANDRIA, VA., IN REGARDS TO POSSIBLE INTERVIEW OF [redacted] UNTIL SUCH TIME AS LEADS ARE COMPLETED BY NYO IN ORDER NOT TO JEOPARDIZE POSSIBLE APPREHENSION BY NYO.

IT IS REQUESTED NYO ADVISE THIS OFFICE WHEN THEIR LEADS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED IN ORDER THAT [redacted] MIGHT BE INTERVIEWED. RELATIVE TO ANY KNOWLEDGE HE MIGHT HAVE CONCERNING CLEAVER.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel 5/5/69 and New York airtel to Bureau 4/30/69 captioned "ALLEGED ASSASSINATION THREAT AGAINST GOVERNOR NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER."

WILLIAM M. KUNSTLER, New York attorney, announced at a press conference in New York City on 4/29/69 that he had just sworn to an affidavit concerning telephone calls that he and associates have been receiving. KUNSTLER contended that these calls had as a purpose to provide a crude basis for future action against him. The affidavit sworn to by him indicates that on 4/24/69 he received a call from a person who first identified himself to Mrs. KUNSTLER as ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and then to KUNTSLER as a friend of Mr. CLEAVER. He stated that if KUNSTLER would come to 59 W. 5th St., New York, N.Y., that evening, Mr. CLEAVER would be waiting "with money for you." The affidavit states that KUNTSLER has subsequently been informed that there is no such address in Manhattan.

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NEW YORK DIVISION

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At New York, N.Y. - Will report any information developed in regard to the above affidavit relating to subject.

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2 - Bureau
2 - New York (100-161321)
2 - San Francisco
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RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel 5/6/69 and San Francisco teletype to Bureau 5/6/69.

[redacted] advises that [redacted], who arranged for shipment of household effects to Toronto, Canada, recontacted the company 5/5/69 advising that information received from Toronto that shipment could not be reassigned to overseas destination unless [redacted] whose name appears as consignor, signs for diversion. [redacted] was told that she might have consignee contact Universal Household Movers to release shipment.

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New York source advises that [redacted] expected to arrive in New York City about 5/7/69 for fund-raising rally.

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2 - Bureau
2 - San Francisco
(1 - 100-55520)
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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO 4238, WF 447, RM-BPP;
UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

Re New York airtel and LHM 4/16/69.

On 4/29/69 [redacted]
London, advised that [redacted]

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 5/8/69

FROM : SAC, BUTTE (157-226) (RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAP - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER

Re New Haven airtel to Bureau, 4/10/69.

Inquiry of MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE COMPANY, which covers Livingston and Jordan, Montana, and the GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY, which covers Weippe, Idaho, disclosed that the correct area codes of the telephone numbers listed in reairtel are correct; namely, #406 for Montana, and #208 for Idaho. However, the number 333-6608 does not exist in Livingston, where all prefix numbers are 222. The area around Pray, Montana, does have the prefix number 333, but all numbers there, following that prefix are 43-- or 44--. Pray is about 25 miles south of Livingston.

There is no such number as #435-2026 in Jordan, Montana.

Weippe, Idaho, does have the telephone prefix of 435; however, all following numbers begin with #4, with the exception of pay telephones, which begin with #9.

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2 - Bureau (Airmail)
2 - San Francisco (AM)
(1 - 88-12329)
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1 - New Haven (Info.) (AM) (157-975)
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (~~100-477251~~) 100-447251

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (88-10787) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
IO #4239 WF #447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER
(OO: San Francisco)

Re New Haven airtel to Bureau, 4/9/69.

[redacted] (protect identity), Macon, Georgia, advised SA [redacted] on 4/8/69, that telephone number area code [redacted] is an Albany, Georgia, telephone number. The number is not in operation and a check of the records of the business office at [redacted] at Albany, Georgia, reflects that the number has not been in operation since February of 1968, which would mean that the number was discontinued prior to that time. All records prior to that time have been destroyed, and there is no way to determine when this number was last in operation in Albany, Georgia. However, it has not been in operation since at least February of 1968.

Investigation in Atlanta continuing.

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2 - San Francisco (88-12329) (RM)
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(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/7/69.

[redacted] advises that subject was supposed to [redacted] Only one person would have known [redacted] and that would have been [redacted] The informant states that subject possibly [redacted].

[redacted] advises that on 3/31/69, [redacted] BPP leader [redacted] reported that [redacted] telephone [redacted], had called the National Headquarters and that [redacted] should contact [redacted] on a very important matter.

Previous investigation has revealed that the [redacted] resided at [redacted] Los Angeles. Her telephone number in December, 1968, was [redacted]

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2 - Los Angeles (88-15756)
2 - San Francisco
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LOS ANGELES DIVISION

At Los Angeles, Calif.

Will check listing for phone [redacted] and thereafter consider contacting sources or conducting other logical investigation to determine if subject could possibly have been at this listing and consider reinterview of [redacted] Every precaution should be taken to protect the above source.

If identity and whereabouts known, and if considered practical, interview [redacted] for any information regarding subject.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/8/69.

Former BPP member [redacted] Oakland, Calif., advised no knowledge of subject's whereabouts.

[redacted] and [redacted] National BPP [redacted] were scheduled to depart San Francisco 5/4/69 via UAL Flight #529. Travel, according to source, is in connection with speaking tour at Santa Barbara, Long Beach, and Los Angeles, starting May 4, 1969. First appearance to be at Santa Barbara. Los Angeles and San Diego previously advised by teletype.

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2 - San Francisco
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DATE: 5/15/69

FROM : SAC, RICHMOND (100-10672)(RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka
FUGITIVE
I. O. 4239
W. F. 447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER

OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re New Haven airtel to the Bureau, copy to Richmond, 4/10/69.

[redacted] advised SA [redacted] on 3/28/69 that [redacted] Manhattan Cab Co., Richmond, Va., was in some way related to LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER. b6 b7C b7D

[redacted] Manhattan for Hire Car Corp., 1617 Brook Rd., Richmond, advised SA [redacted] on 4/28/69 that he does not know LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER except by reputation; however, he was well acquainted with [redacted], who resides at an unknown address in Washington, D. C. [redacted] stated he has been acquainted with [redacted] for about 20 years, due to the fact that she was at one time [redacted] and she was [redacted] b6 b7C

[redacted] stated he was also acquainted with [redacted], who a few years ago [redacted]. WARDEN advised he has not seen [redacted] since her [redacted] and he knows nothing whatsoever concerning CLEAVER.

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2 - Bureau (REGISTERED MAIL)
2 - San Francisco (88-12329)(REGISTERED MAIL)
1 - Richmond
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[redacted] Virginia Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., 112 East Clay St., Richmond, Va., advised SA [redacted] on 5/9/69 that he was well acquainted with [redacted] however, he does not know CLEAVER except by reputation [redacted] stated [redacted] visited his home frequently up until about a year and a half ago and he was aware that [redacted] was [redacted] but he knew nothing concerning [redacted] stated he was well acquainted with [redacted] due to the fact that they [redacted] stated [redacted] was, up until recently [redacted] but it is his understanding she recently [redacted] stated he could furnish no information whatsoever which would be of assistance in locating CLEAVER due to the fact that he has had no contact with [redacted] since [redacted] and he does not know CLEAVER and has heard nothing concerning him except what he has read in the newspapers.

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[redacted] Tidewater Telephone Co., Warsaw, Va., advised SA [redacted] on 5/7/69 that Warsaw Telephone #[redacted] and Kilmarnock, Va., Telephone #[redacted] are not assigned to any subscribers and there is no record that these telephone numbers have been assigned to subscribers.

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FROM: SAC, Detroit (157-2699) (P)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
I.O. 4239;
WF 447
RM - BLACK PANTHER PARTY;
UFAC; ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER
OO: San Francisco

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Re New Haven airtel to Bureau, dated 4/10/69, captioned as above.

Referenced airtel set forth a list of telephone numbers that was found in a trash can located at [redacted], Bridgeport, Connecticut. This address is the previous address of [redacted] Black Panther Party (BPP) in Connecticut. The headquarters for the BPP in Connecticut is located at 285 Putnam Street, New Haven, Connecticut.

On 4/25/69, a review of Bresser's Cross Index Directory for Pontiac, Michigan, disclosed no subscriber to telephone number [redacted].

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On 5/5/69, [redacted] advised there is no subscriber listed for the number [redacted].

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2 - Bureau (RM)
1 - New Haven (157-975)(Info)(RM)
1 - San Francisco (88-12329)(Info)(RM)
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AT BEAVERTON, MICHIGAN

Will ascertain subscriber to telephone number [redacted] and determine relationship with CLEAVER.

AT CONSTANTINE, MICHIGAN

Will ascertain subscriber to telephone number [redacted] and determine relationship with CLEAVER.

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SUBJECT : LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO 4239, WF447,
RM-BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER

OO:SF

Re WFO teletype 5/2/69; Richmond teletype 5/3/69; and New York teletypes 5/3/69 and 5/5/69.

On May 7, 1969 [redacted] Arlington, Virginia, advised SAs [redacted] and [redacted] that this use of the name ELDRIDGE CLEAVER when making a person to person telephone call to the residence of his girl friend, [redacted] Bronx, New York, was a prearranged signal to determine if she was home. He said if he learned she was home by use of the signal, he would then recontact her by direct dialing the number and save money on the call.

He said he knows of CLEAVER as a poet and author and he has some of CLEAVER's works. He said he knows nothing of CLEAVER's whereabouts. [redacted] was advised of the provisions

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1 - New York (100-161321)(Info)
2 - San Francisco
1 - WFO (88-7106)(Info)
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of the Harboring Statute. [redacted], who has his apartment decorated with "hippy" literature, stated he is a student at George Washington University Law School in Washington, D. C..

Information copies to New York and WFO in view of interest in current lead.

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TO : Mr. D. J. Brennan, Jr.

DATE: May 13, 1969

FROM : S. J. Papich

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IO #4239
WF 447
RACIAL MATTER - BLACK PANTHER PARTY;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER

Reference is made to WFO letter dated May 8, 1969.

[redacted] (S)

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**ACTION:**

The above information is being directed to the attention of the Fugitive Section of the General Investigative Division.

1 - [redacted]
1 - Liaison
1 - S. J. Papich

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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka
I. O. # 4239 - FUGITIVE
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO:SF)

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Re Paris let to Bureau 4/1/69.

No additional pertinent information has been received from Paris office sources re possible whereabouts of subject. In the event pertinent information is received the Bureau will be advised.

4 - Bureau
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(1 - San Francisco, Info.)
1 - Paris
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FROM : SAC, WFO (88-7106)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO # 4239
WF 447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO:SF)

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Enclosed are three copies to the Bureau and one copy to San Francisco of an LHM regarding [redacted] (S) b1

In connection with the investigation regarding LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, Fugitive, IO # 4239; RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER,(OO:SF), Sergeant [redacted], Special Unit, Bridgeport, Connecticut Police Department, made available a list of names and telephone numbers believed to be concerned with Black Panther leaders throughout the U. S.

This list was found in a trash can of the residence [redacted], Bridgeport, Connecticut, the previous residence of [redacted] the BPP in Connecticut. No interview being conducted of [redacted] UACB. b6 b7C

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**LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER**

Re: [redacted] (S) b1

A list of names and telephone numbers was found in a trash can located at [redacted], Bridgeport, Connecticut, which address is the previous residence of [redacted] the Black Panther Party in Connecticut. [redacted] (S) b1 b6 b7C

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Investigation reflected this number was changed on December 12, 1958 or December 12, 1968 to [redacted] (S) b1 (S)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (88-15657)(P)

RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-
FUGITIVE
IO #4239; NF #447
RM-BPP; UFAC- ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
CO: San Francisco

Re Bureau airtel to San Francisco dated 4/17/69 and San Francisco airtel to the Bureau dated 4/24/69.

Enclosed for the New York Office are two copies each of referenced communications.

AT BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA (S)

[redacted] (protect), [redacted], telephone [redacted], was interviewed on 5/12/69 by SA [redacted] at the Beverly-Wilshire Hotel, Beverly Hills, California, at which time, he furnished the following information of a highly confidential basis:

[redacted] advised he is [redacted] Hollywood, California, with [redacted] Beverly Hills, California. [redacted]

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[redacted] New York City, New York, and [redacted] California.

[redacted] stated that he was informed on 4/20/69 by [redacted], that the subject had allegedly [redacted], on approximately 4/10/69 [redacted] is a close personal friend and confidant of [redacted] It was not known by [redacted] where [redacted] took place, or its purpose, but he added that [redacted] spends approximately one half of his time in Los Angeles, and the remainder in New York City. CAL.

[redacted] advised that to his knowledge, [redacted] has never had any contact with the subject prior to the above [redacted], and if he did actually meet with the subject, he presumes it was arranged through [redacted]

[redacted] was asked if the purpose of [redacted] could have been the discussion of [redacted] to the subject. [redacted] stated this was possible, that [redacted] is the type of person who would lend his support to such a purposal. [redacted] said [redacted] would not, himself, [redacted], but that one of [redacted] friends could do a competent job with [redacted] or one of his acquaintances supplying [redacted] stated that the [redacted] was probably just [redacted] inasmuch as [redacted] are good friends. [redacted] stated that if [redacted] CLEAVER was made on 4/10/69, [redacted] would have undoubtedly heard about it by now.

[redacted] was asked if either [redacted] or [redacted] would cooperate in locating the subject.

Regarding [redacted] stated that [redacted] years old [redacted] sympathizer of militant groups such as the BPP, of a very liberal philosophy,

and a close personal friend of [redacted] advised that he believed [redacted] would be completely unreceptive in an attempt to solicit his cooperation regarding the subject. [redacted] reportedly resides at [redacted] telephone [redacted]

Regarding [redacted] said he was of a more conservative philosophy, but a great believer in [redacted] In addition, due to [redacted] and [redacted], of which [redacted] would not jeopardize [redacted] position. [redacted] is also a close friend and confident of [redacted], thus [redacted] would be unreceptive regarding his cooperation concerning subject.

Regarding a contact of [redacted] or [redacted] by the Bureau, [redacted] stated that such a contact would likely cause him embarrassment, inasmuch as he received the above information confidentially from [redacted] and that to [redacted] knowledge, no other person was privy to the above information. [redacted] requested that neither [redacted] nor [redacted] be contacted by the Bureau at this time.

[redacted] was asked if [redacted] was in Los Angeles or New York City on or about 4/10/69. [redacted] said he had recently observed [redacted] interoffice during the early morning hours, but failed in an attempt to peruse [redacted] office calendar to determine what [redacted] had written on it for 4/10/69.

[redacted] was asked if [redacted] would disburse funds in the subject's behalf possibly via his checking account. [redacted] replied that [redacted] is "sharp" and meticulous, and would not jeopardize himself with such an indiscreet act.

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[redacted] pledged his complete cooperation and stated his efforts in obtaining additional and more pertinent information would be as penetrative as possible.

Los Angeles indices reflect no references regarding [redacted] or

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A review [redacted] has been conducted. [redacted] prominent interest in the BPP and related activity is noted, as well as [redacted] previous contact with the subject. The Bureau has previously been advised of that information in possession of the Los Angeles office regarding [redacted]

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Los Angeles will maintain close contact with [redacted] in an effort to determine the subject's whereabouts or associations on the part of the subject, [redacted], or [redacted].

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AT NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK: Will cause name of [redacted] to be searched in office indices and advise Los Angeles of any pertinent information noted relative to the subject.

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and advise Los Angeles of results. Particular attention should be placed in noting whether or not [redacted] present in the New York City area on or about 4/10/69.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
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RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
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DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/9/69 and Little Rock airtel to San Francisco and Sacramento 5/6/69.

One [redacted], San Jose, Calif., recently telephonically advised the San Francisco Office that on 5/4/69 he had been in telephonic contact with life-long friend, [redacted] His telephone number is Area Code [redacted] During conversation, [redacted] mentioned that he was no longer a conservative, that the black students had or were having a rally in Cincinnati at the school so CLEAVER could get out of town.

The Little Rock Division has advised that on 4/16/69, one [redacted], following [redacted] advised that in November, 1968, while he was [redacted] he had

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made several trips to an auto wrecking yard, possibly Ramaro's Auto Wrecking Yard, located on a dead end street in Highway City, Calif. On these occasions he had observed several times an individual closely resembling the subject who was employed at the auto wrecking yard.

[redacted], departed San Francisco International Airport, enroute New York City, on Flight #36, UAL, 10:15 p.m., 5/11/69. Informant advised that she was supposed to be met at Kennedy Airport, New York City, by [redacted] Information re this travel furnished to New York by teletype under captioned "BBP - TRAVEL OF LEADERSHIP", 5/11/69.

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At Cincinnati, Ohio

Will interview [redacted], regarding statement made relative to subject.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (176-44)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (176-50) (C)

SUBJECT: PHILIP DAVID OCHS, aka
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Reference is made to Los Angeles teletype 4/14/69 to the Bureau, Chicago and other offices, under the caption "LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, - Fugitive; IO 4239; WF 447; RM-BPP; UFAC-Assault With Intent to Commit Murder" OO: San Francisco.

Enclosed for the Bureau are seven copies of a Letterhead Memorandum (LHM) concerning OCHS in response to referenced Los Angeles communication, two extra copies being provided the Bureau for possible dissemination to [redacted] b7D

A complete review of Chicago files regarding OCHS reflects only that information set forth in the enclosed LHM considered as possibly pertinent in addition to that contained in referenced Los Angeles teletype. The Bureau is in possession of all pertinent information not set forth in Los Angeles teletype and this communication.

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In connection with the arrest of Ochs in Chicago on August 23, 1968, the following information is being set forth:

Officer [redacted], Chicago Police Department, 1st District stated on September 23, 1968, that in connection with an assignment given him on that date of patroling the portion of the Loop area of the city, adjacent to Chicago's Civic Center, he noticed a large crowd of persons gathered at this location at approximately 10:00 AM. He advised that as a result of this gathered crowd traffic was impeded and he observed a group of individuals described as of the "Yippie" types in the area, one of them carrying a pig. He overheard several of these individuals yelling "pig for president" and "we stand for a garbage platform." A police officer on the scene ordered these "Yippie" appearing persons to disperse, however, they continuted with their activities and did not obey the instructions of the police officer in charge. Seven of these "Yippie" individuals who were involved in the pig incident were subsequently placed under arrest on disorderly conduct charges. These seven persons were then transported to the Chicago Police Department Central Detention Quarters, 1121 South State Street.

[redacted] subsequently observed a photograph of Phil Ochs, Chicago Police Department IR Number 213335 and stated that Ochs was one of the seven persons arrested during this incident. Officer [redacted] advised that Ochs had a court appearance for September 19, 1968, scheduled to answer these charges in Chicago Branch, 42, Cook County Circuit Court, however Ochs did not appear, his bond was ordered forfeited and a local warrant was issued for his arrest.

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PHILIP DAVID OCHS

On October 23, 1968, Assistant United States Attorney Richard G. Schultz, Northern District of Illinois, advised that he would decline to consider the prosecution of Ochs under the Anti-Riot Laws Statute concerning his activities in Chicago during the period of the Democratic National Convention, late August, 1968, inasmuch as there did not appear to be a basis for prosecution in this matter under this particular statute.

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TO DIRECTOR (105-165706) PLAINTEXT

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-1204) 3P

BLACK PANTHER PARTY; RM

[redacted] CONTACTED EARLY FEBRUARY TWENTYSIX, LAST, BY TELEPHONE FOR INTERVIEW. FURNISHED LIMITED INFORMATION BUT LATER SAME DAY HE RESPONDED WITH TELEPHONE CALL AND SUGGESTED ARRANGEMENTS FOR INTERVIEW DURING EVENING DOWNTOWN SAN FRANCISCO. HE WAS SEEN IN NEIGHBORHOOD OF INTERVIEW WITH [redacted], BUT ONLY [redacted] WAS INTERVIEWED. INTERVIEW TOOK PLACE IN BUCAR.

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[redacted] SAID HE IS THINKING OF [redacted]

HE FEELS HE WILL BE ABLE TO GET ASSISTANCE OF [redacted] WHOM HE REFERRED TO AS DROPOUTS FROM BPP.

[redacted]

[redacted] CLAIMED HE HAS NO IDEA WHERE ELDRIDGE CLEAVER IS LOCATED AND DOUBTS IF MORE THAN TWO PEOPLES HAVE THIS INFORMATION, AND HE COULD ONLY GUESS AT WHO THEY ARE. HE DID NOT WANT TO COMMIT HIMSELF AS TO THESE.

AFTER ABOUT FORTYFIVE MINUTES, [redacted] BECAME VERY UNEASY AND INTERVIEW COULD NOT BE CONTINUED. HE APPEARED RECEPTIVE TO SUGGESTION THAT HE BE CONTACTED AGAIN IN THE FUTURE, ALTHOUGH HIS ATTITUDE WAS NOT WHOLLY SUGGESTIVE OF A WILLINGNESS

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TO BE COMPLETELY COOPERATIVE. [redacted]

[redacted] IF [redacted] DOES NOT CONTACT AGENTS,

EFFORTS WILL BE MADE TO LOCATE HIM AND DEVELOP HIM AS A INFORMANT.

ATTEMPTS WILL BE MADE TO INTERVIEW OTHER PERSONS MENTIONED

BY HIM AS DROPOUTS IN EFFORT TO DEVELOP AS INFORMANTS.

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE POSSIBILITIES WILL BE PURSUED.

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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE THIS DATE.

P.O. BOX EIGHT SIX FOUR ONE, EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA, IS THE MAILING ADDRESS FOR THE NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, BPP.

[redacted] ALSO KNOWN AS [redacted]

[redacted] IN VIEW OF ABOVE, NO PICK UP COVERAGE WILL BE MADE. NEW YORK PROCEED WITH MAILING. ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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TO : **DIRECTOR, FBI**

DATE: May 5, 1969

FROM : SAC, RICHMOND

SUBJECT: **LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE**
**IO 4239, WF 447**
**RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER**

BUFILE NO.: **100-447251**

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Due to the opening of the Alexandria Division, the following action is being taken in the captioned matter:

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**LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER,**
**also known as Eldridge Cleaver,**
**Leroy Eldridge Cleaver, Jr.**

**FUGITIVE**

**INTERSTATE FLIGHT - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER**

**IDENTIFICATION ORDER NUMBER 4239**

Leroy Eldridge Cleaver is being sought by the FBI for unlawful interstate flight to avoid confinement after conviction for assault with intent to commit murder.

On April 6, 1968, Cleaver, acknowledged Minister of Information for the Black Panther Party, while on parole, reportedly led a group of Black Panthers who were seeking to kill an Oakland, California, police officer. Cleaver was arrested after the ensuing 90-minute gun battle, his parole was immediately revoked and he was returned to the State Prison Hospital at Vacaville, California.

A subsequent court action by Cleaver resulted in his release in June, 1968. On September 27th, Cleaver's release was overruled by the California State District Court of Appeals and he

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was given until November 27th, to appeal. On November 20th, the California Supreme Court refused Cleaver's appeal and requested his return to prison on November 27th.

Cleaver reportedly fled the State of California to avoid confinement and on December 10, 1968, a Federal warrant for his arrest was issued at San Francisco, California.

Cleaver has been employed as an author, clerk, cook, laborer, lithographer, magazine editor, reporter and writer. He has been convicted of assault with intent to commit murder, assault with a deadly weapon and possession of narcotics.

Cleaver has reportedly engaged police officers in a gun battle in the past and should be considered armed and extremely dangerous.

DESCRIPTION OF LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER:

Born, August 31, 1935, Little Rock, Arkansas. Height, 6'2". Weight, 185 to 195 pounds. Build, medium. Hair, black. Eyes, brown. Complexion, medium. Race, Negro. Nationality, American. Scars and marks: numerous pock scars on back. Remarks: sometimes wears small gold earring in pierced left ear lobe.

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**INTERSTATE FLIGHT - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER**

# WANTED BY FBI

# LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

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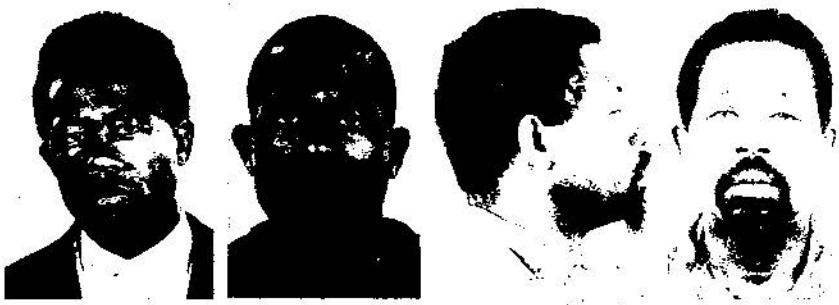
Photographs taken 1968

Leroy Eldridge Cleaver



## DESCRIPTION

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## CRIMINAL RECORD

Cleaver has been convicted of assault with intent to commit murder, assault with a deadly weapon and possession of narcotics.

## CAUTION

CLEAVER ALLEGEDLY HAS ENGAGED POLICE OFFICERS IN GUN BATTLE IN THE PAST. CONSIDER ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

A Federal warrant was issued on December 10, 1968, at San Francisco, California, charging Cleaver with unlawful interstate flight to avoid confinement after conviction for assault with intent to commit murder (Title 18, U. S. Code, Section 1073).

**IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS PERSON, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL FBI OFFICE. TELEPHONE NUMBERS AND ADDRESSES OF ALL FBI OFFICES LISTED ON BACK.**

Identification Order 4239
December 18, 1968

J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
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# Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (~~100-477251~~) 100-447251

DATE: 5/15/69

FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (157-3315) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE;
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO:San Francisco)

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Re New Haven airtel to Director dated 4/10/69, captioned as above.

The following investigation was conducted within the Philadelphia Division at the place and on the dates indicated concerning the phone number indicated:

RE: [redacted]
Centermoreland, Pa.

On 4/29/69 [redacted] (protect) advised SA [redacted] that the referenced telephone number is non-existent. The 333 exchange exists, but no number with the 333 prefix is followed by a 6.

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RE: [redacted]

On 5/6/69 [redacted] (protect), [redacted], advised IC [redacted] the referenced telephone number is listed to [redacted] Philadelphia, Pa., service being installed on 4/27/50.

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2 - Bureau (100-477251)
1 - San Francisco (Info)
2 - Philadelphia (157-3315)

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AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Report outcome of remaining telephone numbers checks and investigation pertinent thereto.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/13/69.

A photograph of [redacted], OCPD [redacted], exhibited to [redacted] Calif. [redacted] identified this photograph as identical to the person she had previously reported as possibly identical to subject. b6 b7C

[redacted] advises that in mid-April, 1969, he overheard [redacted] BPP functionaries, talk about subject in connection with ROBERT FRANKLIN WILLIAMS, militant Black Nationalist who is presently residing in China. [redacted] in a joking manner mentioned that subject could be in China with WILLIAMS. b2 b6 b7C b7D

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2 - Bureau
2 - San Francisco
(1 - 100-55520)
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FBI BOSTON

8:06PM URGENT 5-15-69 RDS

TO DIRECTOR (100-447251), NEW YORK AND SAN FRANCISCO

FROM BOSTON (157-637) 1P

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, IO # FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF # FOUR FOUR SEVEN. RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER. OO:SF.

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RENY TELCON TO BOSTON MAY FIFTEEN, INSTANT.

[redacted] LEFT BOSTON AT SIX FIFTEEN PM

5 MAY 20 1969

VIA TWA FLIGHT # THIRTYTHREE FOR SAN FRANCISCO INSTANT DATE.

ETA IS NINE FIFTEEN PM, PDT.

CAUTION: SUBJECT IS ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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CC - Mr. Sullivan
3CC - Mr. Trainor

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May 13, 1969

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Attached teletype reports information furnished by [redacted] concerning [redacted]

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URGENT 5-14-69

TO DIRECTOR (1ØØ-447251)

FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (157-46) 2P

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE;
Unlawful Flight to Avoid Confinement
WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM-BPP;UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT
MURDER.

ON FIVE FOURTEEN INSTANT, [redacted] ADVISED [redacted]

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[redacted]

2 XEROX NO INFORMATION INFO RECEIVED TO DATE FROM [redacted] TO INDICATE

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MR. DELOACH FOR THE DIRECTOR

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[redacted] INTERVIEW WITH ~~CBC~~ CANADIAN BROADCASTING COMPANY MADE WHILE IN CANADA WAS b6 b7C

CARRIED ON TV SUNDAY NIGHT, FIVE ELEVEN LAST ON "THE WAY IT IS" AND TAPE OF PROGRAM BEING OBTAINED AND WILL BE FORWARDED. WHILE LEGAT DID NOT SEE IT, SEVERAL SOURCES HAVE COMMENTED THAT HER ONLY REFERENCE TO SUBJECT WAS STATEMENT TO EFFECT IF U. S. WANTS TO KNOW WHERE HE IS, IT SHOULD CONTACT CIA. Central Intelligence Agency.

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cc- Mr. Gale + Mr. Sullivan

VIA TELETYPE

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URGENT 5-15-69

TO DIRECTOR 100-447251, SAN FRANCISCO 88-12329 AND BOSTON (CODE)

SAN FRANCISCO VIA WASHINGTON

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-161321

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN; RM-BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER; OO: SF.

[redacted], A HIGHLY SENSITIVE SOURCE, ADVISED THIS DATE THAT [redacted] CONTACTED [redacted] AT BPP OFFICE NYC AND WANTED TO KNOW WHEREABOUTS OF [redacted] AS SHE HAD TO SIGN SOMETHING. [redacted] ADVISED THAT [redacted] WENT TO BOSTON, MASS. AND CAN BE REACHED IN CARE OF TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] [redacted], A PRIVATE HOME.

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SOURCE FURTHER STATED THAT [redacted] ALSO INDICATED THAT [redacted] WILL RETURN TO OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, DIRECTLY FROM BOSTON, MASS ON THE EVENING OF MAY FIFTEEN, INSTANT. 1 XEROX

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BS ASCERTAIN IDENTITY OF SUBSCRIBER OF ABOVE NUMBER AND THEREAFTER CONSIDER FOR POSSIBLE INTERVIEW RE WHEREABOUTS OF SUBJECT.

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel 5/14/69.

[redacted] advises that [redacted] CORE, has stated that subject is definitely in Cuba. Above source is attempting to identify a person in San Francisco who recently returned from Cuba who is a Black Panther from the New York area.

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Above source subsequently advised that one [redacted] (LNU), who drives a red Triumph automobile and resides in Brooklyn, also recently stated that subject has gone to Cuba. [redacted] was a member of the BPP underground and made trips to San Francisco. According to [redacted] the subject left California last November traveling to Cuba by way of South Carolina.

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2 - Bureau
2 - San Francisco
(1 - 100-55520)
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IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

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DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/12/69; remyairtel to New York 4/11/69; and re New York airtel to Bureau 4/16/69.

Legat, London, reports that investigation by [redacted] reflects that [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

[redacted] Arlington, Va., advises that he has been using subject's name as a pre-arranged signal in making long distance telephone calls to residence of his girlfriend, [redacted] Bronx, N. Y. [redacted] has no knowledge of subject's whereabouts.

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NEW YORK DIVISION

At New York, N.Y. - Will contact sources and attempt to locate and interview [redacted] for any information available to him regarding subject's background and whereabouts. b6 b7C

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2 - Bureau
2 - New York (100-161321)
2 - San Francisco
(1 - 100-55520)
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# Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 5/20/69

FROM: SAC, DENVER (157-254) (RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
IO #4239
WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: San Francisco)

Re New Haven airtel to the Bureau, dated 4/10/69, and Bureau airtel dated 4/25/69.

[redacted] advised that telephone number [redacted] is not in existence. The 435 exchange starts at 5000 and ends at 9000. b2 b6 b7C b7D

[redacted] advised that telephone number [redacted] is listed to [redacted], Denver, Colorado. Denver indices negative on [redacted]

Denver has conducted a thorough file review concerning CLEAVER's past activities.

The following informants were contacted and advised that [redacted] unknown to them and is not a member of the Black Panther Party in Denver: b6 b7C

[redacted] b2 b6 b7C b7D

The above informants are being constantly contacted and are aware of the importance of locating CLEAVER. [redacted] met CLEAVER in San Francisco in November, 1968, and would be able to identify him if he comes to Denver.

(2) - Bureau (RM)
1 - New Haven (157-975) (RM) (info)
1 - San Francisco (157-1931) (RM)
1 - Denver
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

[redacted] departed Boston, Mass., 6:15 p.m., via TWA Flight #33, 5/15/69, enroute San Francisco.

[redacted] advises that [redacted] has returned to San Francisco and has been around town in her 1968 Plymouth four door hardtop.

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2 - San Francisco
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IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

The New York license [redacted] previously obtained from observation of [redacted] New York City, registered to [redacted] New York City. This individual is identical to [redacted] who has been previously interviewed.

Legat, Paris, advises no additional pertinent information received from sources re possible whereabouts of subject.

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2 - Bureau
2 - San Francisco
(1 - 100-55520)
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Via AIRTEL _____ (Priority)

TO Director, FBI (100-477251)

FROM SAC, Indianapolis (157-1149)(P)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO 4239; EF 447
RM-BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER

OO: San Francisco

Re New Haven letter to the Bureau, 4/10/69.

On 4/25/69, [redacted] Security Division, Indiana Bell Telephone Company, Indianapolis, Indiana, advised phone number [redacted], under area code 317, was listed to a [redacted] Indiana. She further stated area code 219, and number [redacted] would be a number under territory covered by General Telephone Company in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

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On 4/28/69, [redacted], (Protect Identity), a [redacted] Indiana, advised [redacted] and [redacted], moved in at their address of [redacted] Indiana on 3/1/67. According to [redacted], they are both caucasians and they are farmers, and they operate their own farm. He advised they were respected members in the rural community and he knew of no association they might have with subject.

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On 4/28/69, Sheriff CLARENCE DEMERIT, Montgomery County, Indiana, advised neither [redacted] had an arrest record with their department, and he knew

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2 - Bureau (RM)
1 - Indianapolis
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nothing derogatory about [redacted] or any affiliation they might have with subject.

On 5/16/69, [redacted] General Telephone Company, Fort Wayne, Indiana, advised they had listings for the prefix of 435, under area code 219, however, their numbers started at 435-5000 and went up. He stated there was no number such as [redacted] under area code 219.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-477251)

DATE: 5/20/69

FROM : SAC, ATLANTA (88-10787) (RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
IO #4239 WF #447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER
OO: San Francisco

[redacted]

Re New Haven Airtel to Director 4/10/69, and Atlanta letter to Director 5/8/69.

On 5/8/69, [redacted] Business Office, Southern Bell Telephone Company, Valdosta, Georgia, advised that telephone number [redacted] is not in service in that city. She stated that all numbers on the 333 exchange are Moody Air Force Base telephones. It is noted from referenced airtel that the telephone number [redacted] appears under a number of different area codes as having been contacted.

On 5/10/69, [redacted] Southern Bell Telephone Company, Atlanta, Georgia, advised that there is no such listing as area code [redacted].

It is noted that this number also appears under several other area codes as having been contacted.

No further investigation being conducted at Atlanta.

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(2) - Bureau (RM)
1 - New Haven (Info) (RM)
2 - San Francisco (88-12329) (RM)
1 - Atlanta
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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/20/69.

Informants of the Richmond Division advised on 3/28/69 [redacted] Manhattan Cab Co., Richmond, Va., was related in some way to subject. [redacted] Manhattan For Hire Car Corp., Richmond, Va., advised that he is not acquainted with subject but has known [redacted], about 20 years [redacted] college with her. He also is acquainted with [redacted] and other persons in Richmond who are acquainted with [redacted] unable to furnish any information of value regarding subject.

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[redacted] (protect), [redacted], advised on 5/12/69 that he was informed on 4/20/69 by [redacted]

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that the subject had [redacted] on approximately 4/10/69 [redacted] is a close personal friend and confidant of [redacted]. The place and purpose of [redacted] are unknown. [redacted] spends approximately one-half of his time in Los Angeles and the remainder in New York City. Appropriate leads have been set out to follow up on this information.

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CODE 5/20/69

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TO LEGAT OTTAWA (157-46)

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (100-447251)

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE; WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO: SAN FRANCISCO.

REBUCAB MAY SEVEN, LAST, CONCERNING POSSIBLE REDIRECTION OF SUBJECT'S FURNITURE FROM TORONTO, CANADA.

SAN FRANCISCO REQUESTS ANY INFORMATION DEVELOPED IN RESPONSE TO REFERENCED BUREAU CABLE REGARDING FURNITURE SHIPMENT.

2 - SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329)

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel 5/15/69 and San Francisco teletype to Bureau 5/6/69.

[redacted] recontacted [redacted] 5/14/69, stating that information received from Toronto that the Canadian Government has refused to admit the household furnishings and is holding the shipment at the border. Canadian Customs allegedly wants [redacted] signature and wants assurance that the household goods are not for sale before allowing entry into Canada. [redacted] pointed out to [redacted] that she told his company a different story on last contact. She advised him that she was confused and that the present story is to correct what she previously told him. She also advised that [redacted] was in Europe but has now returned and is in San Francisco.

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[redacted] stated that he will [redacted].

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It is suggested the Bureau request Legat, Ottawa, to advise of any information developed in response to referenced teletype regarding status of shipment.

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FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (157-46)(P)

SUBJECT LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE;
IO 4239; WF 447
RM-BPP; UFAC-Assault with Intent to Commit Murder
OO: San Francisco

Re Ottawa tel - 5/14/69.

Enclosed is a single copy of the transcript of [redacted] interview with Canadian Broadcasting Corporation as carried on the TV Program entitled "The Way It is" - Sunday, May 11, 1969.

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Interview with
Mrs. E. Cleveland

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May 11, 1969 Channel 4

Announcer: Perhaps you feel that you already know everything you need to know about the Black Panther Party of the United States, You may be right, but late last month, the wife of one of the leaders came to Toronto to address a rally. Her husband, Eldridge CLEVER, has been a fugitive of justice for 5 months. He's wanted for attempted murder and assault. Well, meanwhile his remarkable book, Soul on Ice, has become a runnaway/best seller in the United States and Canada. It was hard not to be interested in Kathaleen CLEVER as she arrived in Toronto, 6 months pregnant and under continuous escort by a platoon of Panthers. We met her on the local program, called the Day It Is, where Barbara FRUM (ph) attempted an interview.

FRUM: Tell me about your own personal fight.

CLEVER: No, I'm not going to talk about my own personal, if we are going to talk about anything, we're going to talk about the Black Panther Party.

FRUM: Is there any sense with Eldgridge CLEVER in hiding that you then inherit whatever mantel.

CLEVER: I don't, why, Eldridge has his own mantle. No.

FRUM: You're sort of not the, his replacement now.

CLEVER: I mean I, no no you don't replace people in the Black Panther Paty. Eldridge is the Minister of Information. I work with Eldridge, I'm the communications secretary, but I have my work, Eldridge has his work. I can't do his work and he can't do my work.

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FRUM: What is the nature of the Black Panther Party now? Do you is it open to general membership, or is it a matter of select cadres now?

CLEVER: At this point. Yes, they select cadres, it's not a mass Party, it is a vanguard Party, that's interested in creating the political and military organization that's necessary to lead the colonized people in their struggle for political power in order to implement their goals. Achieve their goals. You see people

FRUM: But you don't want any weak links at this point in this chain or

CLEVER: No. We can't afford it. It's too dangerous, to treacherous and too many people laying to stab us in the back. The original activity was to initiate armed patrols of the black community to defend the people against the terrorization and murder of the police, because the occupying army of the police departments just terrorized the people, shoot the people, arrest the people, do anything to black people with impunity. There was no way of getting a civilian review board, there was no way of getting any agency within the city to stop this and there was no way of stoping the police department from doing this or replacing the police department, so it was completely, the people were completely at the mercy of the police who are terrorist dogs. It was just like an organized Northern version of the Ku Klux Klan. They, the policemen themselves don't even know what the laws are. They know what their duties are which are to murder and terrorize and control

CLEVER: black people and that's what they do. But they don't even have to relate to the law. No one teaches them the law and they don't, half of them can't hardly read it. X XXXX XX

FRUM: I want to just sort of follow the line. If, in fact these black and white people are armed against eadh other

CLEVER: It's not if, in fact, these black and white people are armed against each other, it's if, in fact for the past 400 years, the black people have been unarmed and subjected to the violence of the armed white community, then at this point, it's time to stop that and if there is no other means of stopping it, then arming the black people and driving everyone of the oppressors into the sea, that's what we will do.

FRUM: Do you see the Black Panthers in fact as linking with some revolutionary spirit that's at work in North America, that goes across racial lines.

CLEVER: We see the Black Panther Party as promoting revolutionary spirits in North America that goes across racial lines.

FRUM: How far along do you see the revolution now?

CLEVER: I would say that they've gone to the point that revolution is inevitable, and irrovocable (ph). American pop

FRUM: And you don't think the industrial military complex of the United States could still defeat such a movement?

CLEVER: The industrial military complex of the United States could not even defeat the Viet Cong. Now how would they defeat 50 million black people, armed and organized to the gills and the black communities on their own territory. If every stratigic location of their own country. In order to destroy

CLEVER: black people, they have to destroy their own territory, they have to destroy their cities, they have to destroy their harbours, they have to destroy everything they have. And the Black Panther Party and the black people say that if they will move to destroy us, we will put them in a position where the only victory they can possibly have is a pirate (ph) victory that they will have to destroy themselves in order to destroy us. If they do that, then the enemies of America which are world wide, can come in and pick the gold out of their teeth.

FRUM: Do you feel like an oppressed person?

CLEVER: Yes. I feel very oppressed.

FRUM: As a Panther you feel

CLEVER: I feel oppressed as a person. I cann't even see my own husband, I can't talk to him, I don't know where he is. I'm suppose to have a baby in 3 months, I don't know if I will live that long to do it. I all, almost half the people that are closest to me are dead, or in prison, I can't see them. Every time I walk down the street, I see my own people being tortured and starved and murdered and brutilized 24 hours a day. I don't see any resources to do anything about that. I don't see any concern to do anything about that. I don't see anybody trying to stop that, with the intensity that it is being perpurtrated. I see that we are powerless and all that I can see that anything and everything that could be done at this very moment to put an end to that, we have to do it right now. Because there is no guarantee on how long

CLEVER: we are going to be able to be here to do it.

FRUM: Do you consider your husband in hiding or in exile?

CLEVER: That's irrelevant what I believe. If you want to know any information about Eldridge CLEVER, all enquiries should be directed to the C.I.A.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161321) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO #4239, WF #447, RM-BPP;
UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

Re Los Angeles airtel, 5/13/69.

A review of NYO indices reveals a reference which is apparently identical to [redacted] (NYFILE 73-2767, BUFILE 73-14544).

This file reflects that Los Angeles (File 73-1364) requested NYO to conduct investigation in matter, to verify that [redacted] as of 9/4/52.

Records of [redacted] New York, NY, reflected that [redacted] and his address was shown as [redacted] No background data was available.

Further investigation revealed that [redacted] was a [redacted] with addresses in 1947 as [redacted] NYC and also another address of [redacted], NYC.

[redacted] has Social Security Number [redacted]. All above obtained from NYrep of SA [redacted], 8/23/63, no copies Los Angeles.

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NYO indices contained no other references identifiable with [redacted] and give no indication that he has been in New York City during April, 1969. b6 b7C

Indices of the NYO contain no data re [redacted] other than that already in the possession of Los Angeles and further reflect no 1969 references re [redacted] presence in New York. b7D

On 5/19/69, [redacted] advised SA [redacted] that an agency which maintains records on [redacted] failed to show in their records [redacted] was recently in NYC. [redacted] advised that it was believed that [redacted] during April, 1969, however, [redacted] can definitely state that [redacted] was not in New York City on or about 4/10/69. b2 b6 b7C b7D

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Will check with [redacted] in order to ascertain if [redacted] was [redacted] during pertinent period. b7D

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[redacted] advised on 4/6/69 that several Panthers in New York were caught while they were attempting to sabotage Macy's Department Store, according to information originating from [redacted] BPP member [redacted] who had furnished this information to [redacted] [redacted] had furnished the information to informant. [redacted] had stated that an explosion was to take place in the store when no one would be in the store. This action would be a diversionary measure in an attempt to sneak ELDRIDGE CLEAVER out of town. When [redacted] was questioned about this, he stated that CLEAVER is in New York and asked [redacted] "Why do you think [redacted] went to New York right after he went into hiding?" The conversation between [redacted] and [redacted] reportedly took place on 4/6/69.

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[redacted] allegedly stated that ELDRIDGE CLEAVER is very unhappy with [redacted] as [redacted] had "messed up" when he went to Scandinavia, as upon his return [redacted] made a statement in the BPP paper criticizing STOKELEY CARMICHAEL and his travels to various countries and is making statements concerning culturism and nationalism. CLEAVER did not like the idea of [redacted] making these statements against CARMICHAEL because it would make the white man think there is dissension in the party.

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NEW YORK DIVISION

At New York, N.Y.

Advise if informants have reported any information regarding the above diversionary measure in connection with an alleged attempted bombing of Macy's Department Store.

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TO LEGAT OTTAWA

FROM DIRECTOR FBI 100 - 447251 - 607

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO: SAN FRANCISCO.

FOR INFORMATION LEGAT, OTTAWA, [redacted] SAN FRANCISCO, ADVISED [redacted] REGARDING HOUSEHOLD GOODS SHIPMENT. STATES [redacted] COMPLAINED ABOUT STORAGE CHARGES BEING LEVIED BY CANADIAN GOVERNMENT. AT [redacted] SUGGESTION, [redacted] STATED THAT SHE WILL IMMEDIATELY TELEPHONE [redacted] AT TORONTO, CANADA, AND REQUEST THAT HE CONTACT [redacted] AND SIGN NECESSARY FORMS AS ALLEGED RELATIVE OF [redacted] IN ATTEMPT TO MOVE SHIPMENT INTO CANADA. [redacted] TOLD [redacted] IS IN [redacted] AND MAY REMAIN THERE PERMANENTLY. SHE ALSO SAID SHE DID NOT

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CABLEGRAM TO OTTAWA
RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

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LEGAT, OTTAWA ALERT [redacted] RE POSSIBLE IMMINENT CONTACT OF [redacted] BY [redacted]

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AND SIGN NECESSARY FORMS AS ALLEGED RELATIVE OF [redacted] IN ATTEMPT TO MOVE SHIPMENT INTO CANADA.

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[redacted] TOLD [redacted] IS IN [redacted] AND MAY REMAIN THERE PERMANENTLY. SHE ALSO SAID SHE DID NOT KNOW [redacted]

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 5/27/69

FROM : SAC, OMAHA (157-436)

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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER

OO: San Francisco

Re New Haven airtel to Bureau, 4/10/69.

The following investigation was conducted relative to telephone numbers listed in referenced communication within the Omaha Division:

On 4/16/69, [redacted] Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, Omaha, Nebraska, advised SA [redacted] that there is no information on file concerning Omaha telephone number [redacted] He stated this number is not presently listed to a subscriber and all records of former subscribers to this number have been destroyed.

On 4/22/69, Sheriff LEONARD RATLIFF, Bedford, Iowa, advised SA [redacted] that the telephone number [redacted] is not a Lennox, Iowa, telephone number.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Lincoln, Nebraska, on 4/22/69:

Telephone number [redacted] in Lincoln, Nebraska is listed in the Lincoln Telephone Directory to [redacted], Lincoln, Nebraska. The current Lincoln City Directory shows [redacted] name to be [redacted]

[redacted] Lincoln, advised that [redacted] who is a white male and currently in Tennessee visiting relatives on a extended vacation. He stated that he knows who LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER is and is certain that [redacted] have no knowledge

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of CLEAVER and have had no contact with him of any sort.

[redacted] West Iowa Telephone Company, Remsen, Iowa, advised SA [redacted] on 5/12/69, that this company serves Calumet, Iowa, and there is no such number as [redacted] in Calumet.

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted]:

At Charles City, Iowa

On April 17, 1969, [redacted] business office, Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, advised that telephone number [redacted] is listed to [redacted] Iowa.



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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted]:

At Charles City, Iowa:

On April 17, 1969, L. L. LANE, Sheriff, Floyd County, advised that the files of this office contain no pertinent data or information on [redacted] Iowa.

On April 17, 1969, J. O. GORDON, Chief of Police, advised that his files were negative on above-named individual.

At [redacted]

On April 17, 1969, [redacted], advised that he was acquainted with [redacted] and the members of his family and could think of no connection to the subject or the Black Panther Party in Connecticut or in any other area. [redacted] stated that his files were negative on above-named individual and the members of his immediate family.

At New Hampton, Iowa:

On April 25, 1969, GAYLE FOLKERS, Sheriff, Chickasaw County, advised that the files of his office were negative on above-named person.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

At Coggin, Iowa

On May 8, 1969, directories for the Coggin, Iowa, community failed to identify telephone number [redacted] as a working number in this area.

At Cedar Rapids, Iowa

On May 8, 1969, [redacted] Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, 701 3rd Avenue Southeast, advised the prefix 435 is foreign to the Eastern Iowa areas.

Contact has been maintained with racial informants and sources of the Omaha Office and no information relative to the subject has been developed.

Investigation of this matter is being pursued on a continuing basis and pertinent information developed will be immediately furnished to the Bureau and San Francisco.

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FROM: SAC, JACKSON (157-10553) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO#4239; WF#447
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UFAC - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re New Haven airtel to the Bureau, 4/10/69.

The following investigation was conducted by the Jackson Division regarding leads set out in referenced New Haven airtel:

AT BILOXI, MISSISSIPPI

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

It was determined that Biloxi telephone number [redacted] is listed to [redacted] Biloxi, Miss.

On 4/30/69 Sgt. [redacted], Air Police Investigations, Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Miss., advised that there is a [redacted] with the Judge Advocate General's Office at Keesler AFB.

On 5/15/69 records of the base locator were checked at Keesler AFB and a [redacted], Serial Number [redacted], is assigned to Keesler Technical Training Center.

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On 5/15/69 Major [redacted] Judge Advocate's Office, advised that [redacted]

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[redacted] and still resides at [redacted]. [redacted] is a white male assigned to that section. [redacted] advised that [redacted] is presently on emergency leave in Kentucky and is scheduled for transfer very soon. b6 b7C

AT HOLLY SPRINGS, OXFORD, AND HICKORY FLAT, MISSISSIPPI

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

On April 15, 1969, [redacted] (Protect Identity), [redacted] Miss., advised that the subscriber to telephone number [redacted] could be identified through the telephone company office at Holly Springs, Miss. b6 b7C b7D

On April 21, 1969, [redacted] (Protect Identity), [redacted] Miss., advised that telephone number [redacted] was listed to one [redacted] of Hickory Flat, Miss.

[redacted] advised that this telephone number has been listed in [redacted] name since March of 1967.

Deputy Sheriff [redacted], Benton County, Hickory Flat, Miss., advised that [redacted] is currently a resident of Hickory Flat, Miss., and maintains employment at [redacted] in Hickory Flat. [redacted] advised that [redacted] has been a resident of Hickory Flat, Miss., for many years and that her husband is deceased. [redacted] could provide no derogatory information concerning [redacted].

On April 21, 1969, [redacted] Hickory Flat, Miss., was located and interviewed at [redacted] in Hickory Flat. [redacted] acknowledged that she is the subscriber to telephone number [redacted] stated that the name LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER was unidentifiable to her. She pointed out that she does not know anyone by the name of CLEAVER and has never been contacted b6 b7C

by any such person to her knowledge. [redacted] advised that she was not familiar with the Black Panther Party nor was she familiar with the names [redacted] or [redacted] [redacted]. She further advised that the Lafayette Consistory located in Richport, Connecticut, was unidentifiable to her.

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During the course of the interview with [redacted], it was noted that she is a white female estimated to be between 55 and 60 years old.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

A review of phone numbers listed to be checked by the Jackson Division and by other divisions reflects that with the exception of the area code, all numbers listed are the same as one of the four numbers listed to [redacted] or ELDRIDGE CLEAVER in referenced communication.

As both numbers in the Jackson Division are listed to white individuals and in view of the previous paragraph, no additional investigation is being conducted by the Jackson Division.

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Remyairtel 5/23/69 and mytel to Bureau, WFO, and New York 5/26/69.

[redacted] NISO, Mare Island Navy Yard, Vallejo, Calif., advises the original information reporting [redacted] to have knowledge regarding subject's whereabouts was obtained from a confidential informant. The informant of opinion that [redacted] "just talking" and made statement to impress the informant. The informant no longer working with [redacted] and unable to develop further information. Agents attempted to interview [redacted] on 5/7/69 but he refused to talk to them.

An article appearing in the 5/25/69 edition of the "San Francisco Examiner", San Francisco, reports that a correspondent by the name of JAMES PRINGLE for Reuters, the British News Service, interviewed subject at Havana, Cuba,

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where subject, according to the reporter, is now located. The article reflected subject resides in a spacious 6th floor apartment near Havana's business center. The subject "begged off a full scale interview" stating "it might cause problems."

According to the article, Havana's two main hotels and some of its streets are off limits for the subject. The apartment is allegedly a frequent meeting place for a small colony of Black Panthers in exile in Havana.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] left San Francisco Airport 5/21/69 enroute London. They were to leave London later that day and fly to Paris. [redacted] is scheduled to return to San Francisco 5/27/69. The purpose of the trip is unknown.

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# *Memorandum*

1 - Mr. C. D. DeLoach
1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr
1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
1 - Mr. J. H. Gale
DATE: 5/27/69
1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop
1 - Mr. G. C. Moore
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

FROM : G. C. Moore

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
I.O. #4239
Warrant Flier #447
RACIAL MATTER - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
UNLAWFUL FLIGHT TO AVOID CONFINEMENT -
ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER

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[redacted] (S)

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We previously received information from Legat, Paris, that [redacted] of the Black Panther Party and [redacted] arrived in Paris, France, 5/22/69. b6 b7C

The above information, properly paraphrased, is being furnished to office of origin San Francisco and to the Legat, Paris, who will be requested to obtain details regarding travel by [redacted] to Algiers. [redacted] (S) b1 b6 b7C

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For information. Efforts are continuing to confirm Cleaver's presence in Cuba and ~~the possible~~ travel by him and [redacted] to Algiers. b6 b7C

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IO #4239; WF #447
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(OO: SF)

DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtels 5/27/69 and 5/1/69.

A recent attempt was made to interview [redacted] subject of a BPP investigation, on the streets of Marin City, Calif., and he declined to submit to an interview. [redacted]

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DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/26/69 and mytel to Bureau 5/26/69.

[redacted] San Francisco, advised that during a conversation with [redacted] 5/26/69, regarding household goods shipment, [redacted] complained about storage charges being levied by Canadian Government. At [redacted] suggestion, [redacted] stated that she will immediately telephone [redacted] Toronto, Canada, and request that he contact [redacted] and sign necessary forms in attempt to move shipment into Canada.

[redacted] told [redacted] is in [redacted] and may remain there permanently.

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Legal attaché Paris requested to advise

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 5/24/69

CLASSIFICATION PER GSA LETTER
DATED 04-04-2006

FROM : J. A. Sizoo

SUBJECT: ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
RACIAL MATTER - BLACK PANTHER PARTY

ID#4239 WF#447 AKD 00-SF

[redacted]

You will recall that Eldridge Cleaver, Minister of Information of the Black Panther Party, a black extremist organization, is currently a Federal fugitive for violating terms of parole on a State felony.

On 5/24/69 a news broadcast over Radio Station WRC quoted a Reuters news dispatch datelined "Havana, Cuba, 5/24/69," which stated that Cleaver was living and writing in Cuba.

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**ACTION:**

For information. Field has been alerted to furnish any information developed to the Bureau immediately.

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1 - Mr. J. H. Gale
1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
1 - Mr. G. C. Moore
1 - Mr. D. J. Brennan
1 - Mr. C. D. Brennan
1 - [redacted]

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Saturday morning NBC news included information attributed to Reuters News Agency that Cleaver is reportedly residing in an apartment in Cuba and writing another book.

This coincides with information received and reported May 14, 1969, from our Legal Attache (Legat) in Ottawa to the effect Cleaver, the Minister of Information, Black Panther Party, was residing in Cuba. According to Legat, he learned through [redacted] that [redacted]

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ACTION:

For information. Efforts are continuing through sources to confirm Cleaver's possible presence in Cuba.

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1 - Mr. Bishop
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Gale
1 - [redacted]
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (~~100-477251~~) DATE: 5/27/69

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FROM : SAC CINCINNATI 157-2588 (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
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Re New Haven airtel to the Bureau 4/10/69.
Re San Francisco airtel to the Bureau 5/12/69.

Referenced New Haven airtel indicated that a list of names and telephone numbers concerning BPP leaders throughout the US was found in a trash can. One of the numbers found was [redacted] Centerville, Ohio.

[redacted], Ohio Bell Telephone Co., 215 West 2nd. Street, Dayton, Ohio, advised IC [redacted] on May 6, 1969 that telephone number [redacted] is the Centerville, Ohio, exchange but there is no number [redacted] He stated the exchange starts with number 435-9000.

Cincinnati took no further action on that telephone number as IT was apparently fictitious.

Referenced San Francisco airtel indicated that one [redacted] might have some information re the subject.

[redacted] OHIO, advised SA [redacted] on 5/26/69 that he attended St. Gregory Seminary until the [redacted] He stated [redacted] and he read the subject's book "Soul on Ice" [redacted] He stated he knows nothing personally about CLEAVER. He noted that he is studying [redacted] and he would cooperate with the FBI in any way he can. He is a white male, born [redacted] Full details of interview in Cincinnati file.

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2 - San Francisco (88-12329 (RM)
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1 - New Haven (157-975)(Info)(RM)
1 - Cincinnati 157-2588

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DAILY SUMMARY

Remyairtel 5/28/69.

A transcript of [redacted] interview with Canadian Broadcasting Corp. on 5/11/69 reflects that upon being questioned as to whether she considered [redacted] in hiding or in exile, she replied that if any information is needed about ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, all inquiries should be directed to the CIA. Transcript reflects no other pertinent information reflecting on subject's whereabouts. b6 b7C

New York Office advises that an agency which maintains records on theater, movie, television, and radio personalities and their agents failed to show that [redacted] was recently in New York City. [redacted] advised that it was believed that [redacted] was in Bogota, Columbia, during April, 1969. [redacted] can definitely state that [redacted] was not in New York City on or about 4/10/69. b2 b7D

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TITLE OF CASE

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka
Eldridge Cleaver,
Leroy Eldridge Cleaver, Jr.-
FUGITIVE -
IO Number 4239,
WF Number 447

REPORT MADE BY [redacted]

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DATED 04-04-2006

REFERENCES: San Francisco report of SA [redacted]
dated 3/18/69.

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CASE HAS BEEN:
PENDING OVER ONE YEAR ☐ YES ☐ NO
PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS ☐ YES ☐ NO

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On 2/18/69, [redacted] advised that [redacted] has been in communication with one [redacted] is looking for a small house for her and is sure of obtaining one. (U)

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The Legat Mexico City advised on 2/28/69, that informants have been fully alerted concerning not only the Subject [redacted] but also concerning the possible activities of [redacted] and [redacted] (U)

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On 2/28/69, [redacted] advised Agents of the Albuquerque Division that on 2/27/69 [redacted] had been by the headquarters of a Mexican - American militant organization to tell everyone good-by. She said she was going to Trinidad, West Indies; that she needed a long vacation. (U)

On 3/27/69, [redacted] advised that [redacted] was residing temporarily at the residence of [redacted] and [redacted] in New Orleans from 3/14 - 18/69. She was accompanied by a male, age 24-25, whom she introduced as [redacted] indicated that she was going to South America "out of New Orleans" and allegedly left on 3/18/69. She indicated the name of the ship was the "ALAMA" (phonetic) and that she would be gone about three or four weeks. She did not elaborate further regarding the trip.

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The above Albuquerque source subsequently advised that [redacted] arrived at [redacted] and had been in contact with [redacted] (U) (S)

[redacted] has furnished information indicating that the Subject recently [redacted] Subsequent investigation by San Francisco revealed that [redacted] no longer resides [redacted] (U)

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but is now residing in the Los Angeles area. A lead has been set out to interview him for details. (U)

On 4/8/69, [redacted] with whom insufficient contact has been made to determine reliability, advised that a Negro female, known only as [redacted] (phonetic) from San Francisco was a person who would always know the whereabouts of the Subject.

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On 4/16/69, above source advised that [redacted], who was also known as [redacted] personally told source in December, 1968, that she would always know the whereabouts of Subject or at least could contact him. According to source, [redacted] is a student at a college in either Santa Barbara, California or Boston, Massachusetts. In Boston, Massachusetts, she is reportedly an associate of Black Panther leader [redacted]

In March, 1969, an informant was told that in regard to Black Panther [redacted] speaking tour in Scandinavia and other European countries, [redacted] was going to see ELDRIDGE CLEAVER. Informant was told that [redacted] trip was to include West Germany and that [redacted] was to see the Subject. It was not clear to informant whether the meeting would be in Europe or elsewhere.

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On 3/29/69, Albuquerque Division advised that [redacted] previously been reported by an informant to have been with Subject, has returned from Puerto Rico to New Mexico and is currently at her residence in Espanola, New Mexico.

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On 2/10/69, [redacted] advised that [redacted] is apparently residing at the residence of [redacted], San Francisco, California.

On 3/4/69, [redacted] advised that on 3/4/69, [redacted] and [redacted] were both frantically making attempts to contact [redacted] The phone number to New York City, [redacted] was left for [redacted] to contact them.

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On 3/6/69, the New York Office advised that the above number is the Palm Restaurant, New York, New York. Contact with [redacted] reflected that he [redacted] and could not recall the Subject as ever having been a customer. He advised that instant telephone number is a public pay phone in the second floor dining room available to any customer. b6 b7C

On 4/9/69, the Bureau advised that information has been received from [redacted] that [redacted] (U)

On 4/20/69, the Bureau advised that the household effects shipped from San Francisco via PIE, 4/8/69, arrived in Toronto, Canada April 15-16, 1969, and are being stored it the Mid Continental Custom Bonded warehouse, 1608, the Queensway, Toronto. [redacted] according to [redacted] was contacted by Universal Household Movers regarding the disposition and she advised that she would contact [redacted] place unknown, for further directions. A check of telephone listings in the San Francisco Bay Area on 4/11/69, for numbers called from the [redacted] residence, Toronto, Canada, reflect that [redacted] which was disconnected 3/13/69, was listed to [redacted] California. This party moved to Berkeley, California to phone listed to [redacted] California. [redacted] name of Subject captioned [redacted], aka Security Matter, Revolutionary Union, OO: SF, Bufile: 100-451802." She attended meeting of Revolutionary Union, Palo Alto, California, in April, 1968 and is an admitted member of the Peace and Freedom Party, February to August, 1968. (U) b6 b7C b7D

[redacted] is the Subject of SM - SDS case, Bufile: 100-438281. [redacted] Students for a Democratic Society, Berkeley, California number [redacted] is listed to [redacted] and [redacted] b6 b7C

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Berkeley. [redacted]

Berkeley number [redacted] is listed to [redacted] Berkeley, California [redacted] address). Prior investigation has revealed that [redacted] who is a white female [redacted] is the paramour of [redacted] who is well known as a [redacted]. b6 b7C

REPORTS REGARDING SUBJECT'S WHEREABOUTS

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[redacted] has advised on 3/1/69, WILLIAM KUNSTLER, an attorney for H. RAPP BROWN and the Subject, at a house party in KUNSTLER's honor in Baltimore, made the statement that he knows the Subject's whereabouts and that he was going to bring him out of exile sometime during the latter part of March or sometime in April, 1969. He allegedly stated that he would bring the Subject out of hiding in Baltimore as he thought Baltimore would be an excellent place to fight extradition. He said CLEAVER is coming out of hiding to get control of the people by coming out into the open and fighting for his rights. The source advised that on 3/6/69, [redacted] BPP, East Coast, claimed he was investigating the Baltimore BPP under cover to determine if Baltimore is a suitable area for Subject to come out of exile. He claimed that CLEAVER was already on the East coast. [redacted] gave the name of [redacted], to maintain close contact with. [redacted] was accompanied at Baltimore by an individual identified as [redacted] from Boston, Massachusetts. [redacted] is possibly [redacted], Boston, Massachusetts BPP. b2 b6 b7C b7D

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The New York Office advises that WILLIAM M. KUNSTLER, New York attorney, announced at a press conference in New York City, 4/29/69, that he had just sworn to an affidavit concerning telephone calls that he and associates had been receiving. He contended that these calls had as a

purpose to provide a crude basis for future action against him. The affidavit sworn to him indicated that on 4/24/69, he received a call from a person who first identified himself to Mrs. KUNSTLER as ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and then to Mr. KUNSTLER as a friend of Mr. CLEAVER. The caller said that if KUNSTLER would come to 459 West 5th Street, New York, New York that evening Mr. CLEAVER would be waiting "with money for you." The affidavit stated that KUNSTLER had subsequently been informed that there is no such address in that matter.

A report dated 2/18/69, by [redacted] received from the Bureau on 3/5/69, [redacted]

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The report indicated that [redacted]

The report reflects that [redacted]

On 3/28/69, the New York Office advised that one [redacted] confidential source, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that the Subject is most likely in the area of Los Angeles or San Francisco, living underground in anyone of several lay-low houses operated by BPP sympathizers. He was unaware of the Subject's present location and stated [redacted] does not know his whereabouts.

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On 3/27/69, [redacted] advised that [redacted] San Francisco BPP [redacted] aka [redacted] is the initial person to meet in San Francisco for further transfer to lay-low houses. He stated that he feels that these houses are frequently used by ELDRIDGE CLEAVER in his efforts to avoid apprehension. However, the location of any such residences are currently unknown to [redacted]

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On 3/22/69, the Minneapolis Division, advised that reliable sources state the period of March 21 to April 3 is set as liberation week at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota. This is to culminate in a mass protest march on the city county building, Minneapolis where three Black students are to appear for arraignment following their indictment by Local Grand jury.

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[redacted] contacted [redacted] at the New York Hilton. [redacted] informed [redacted] that he would have something in writing so that Subject would appear and make a speech during liberation week for an estimated cost of $1,000. CLEAVER was reportedly due to arrive in Minneapolis April 2 or 3, 1969. [redacted] allegedly stated that CLEAVER was going to turn himself in to Federal authorities but specific date is unknown.

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On 3/28/69, [redacted] was interviewed by Agents of the Minneapolis Office. He stated that he does not know the Subject and has no information as to his whereabouts and future plans. He has no indication that Subject intends to come to Minneapolis. The only attempted contact [redacted] knows of in connection with CLEAVER and Liberation Week was when a member of the Liberation Committee placed a phone call to Subject's telephone number in California but of course got no answer.

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TOLL CALLS FROM TELEPHONE NUMBERS
[redacted] and [redacted]
LISTED TO [redacted]
[redacted], SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
11/26/68 through 2/19/69

| DIVISION | DATE | PLACE CALLED | NUMBER CALLED |
|---|---|---|---|
| CHICAGO | 1/18/69 | Evanston, Illinois | [redacted] |
| DETROIT | 1/14/69 | Ann Arbor, Michigan | |
| KNOXVILLE | 1/12/69 | Concord, Tennessee | |
| " | " | Knoxville, Tennessee | |
| LOS ANGELES | 12/5/68 | Los Angeles, California | |
| " | 12/28/68 | " | |
| " | 1/23/69 | " | |
| " | 2/8/69 | " | |
| " | 12/24&27/69 | " | |
| " | 12/23/68 | Van Nuys, California | |
| " | 1/13/69 | " | |
| MINNEAPOLIS | 1/14/69 | Minneapolis, Minnesota | |
| NEW YORK | 12/8/68 | Brooklyn, New York City | |
| " | 1/23/69 | " | |
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| DIVISION | DATE | PLACE CALLED | NUMBER CALLED |
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| PORTLAND | 12/25/68 | Eugene, Oregon | |
| SACRAMENTO | 1/22/69 | Fresno, California | |
| " | 12/1&15/68 | Hanford, California | |
| SAN DIEGO | 11/26/68 | La Mesa, California | |
| SEATTLE | 12/4/68 | Seattle, Washington | |
| WFO | 1/17/69 | Washington, D.C. | |

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Subscribers to the below listed telephone numbers were provided SE [redacted] on March 4, 1969, by [redacted]:

[redacted]

The above telephone subscribed to by [redacted] (SE) [redacted] Los Angeles, California, since October 17, 1968.

[redacted] was previously interviewed by SAS [redacted] on December 17, 1968, relative to the whereabouts of the subject with negative results.

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This number subscribed to by [redacted], Los Angeles, California.

On March 14, 1969, SAS [redacted], were advised by [redacted] that [redacted] has resided at the above address occasionally for approximately seven years. [redacted] stated [redacted] was arrested by police authorities on November 6, 1967, and incarcerated , where he remained until his release on July 20, 1968. On December 27, 1968, [redacted] was re-arrested [redacted] Between July 20, 1968, and December 27, 1968, [redacted] resided at the above address. [redacted] stated [redacted] Los Angeles, Calif.

is currently incarcerated at [redacted], Number [redacted] Counselor-[redacted], telephone number ([redacted] area code) [redacted].

[redacted] stated she has resided at the above address for approximately seven years. She stated that during September 1968, [redacted] may have called CLEAVER, but she did not remember whether or not he had done so. She recalled that during 1968 [redacted] met CLEAVER at a speaking engagement or rally, which featured subject, and thereafter [redacted] visited CLEAVER in his hotel room. [redacted] did not remember any further associations subsequent to CLEAVER's speech, between CLEAVER and [redacted]

[redacted] stated that [redacted] was previously [redacted] at [redacted] [redacted].

[redacted] advised her current telephone number is a non-published number [redacted] and that she subscribed to a previous non-published number, which was in existence as of approximately January 1969, which number is [redacted]. For many months prior to January 1969, she was a subscriber to published telephone number [redacted].

[redacted]

This number is a non-published number, subscribed to by [redacted] California.

663-3311 (area code 213)

This telephone number is a published number subscribed to by the American Broadcasting Corporation, 4151 Prospect Los Angeles, California.

484-1422 (area code 213)

The above number is a discontinued number and no records are available regarding prior subscribers.

[redacted]

This number is a non-published number currently subscribed to by [redacted]

On March 14, 1969, [redacted] advised SA [redacted] and SA [redacted] that [redacted] reside in [redacted], that they are both of the Caucasion race.

Attempt was negative on March 14, 1969, to interview [redacted]

235-4127 (area code 213)

The above number is subscribed to by the Black Panther Party, 4115 South Central Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

469-2020 (area code 213)

The above telephone number is a non-published number, subscribed to by the Columbia Broadcasting System, 6125 West Sunset, Los Angeles, California.

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The above number is subscribed to by [redacted] Los Angeles, California.

On March 14, 1969, SAS [redacted] and [redacted] were advised by [redacted] telephone number

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[redacted] that she has no knowledge of ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and is sure that her 54 year old husband has no knowledge of CLEAVER. [redacted] stated she has two daughters named [redacted] and [redacted] either of whom may know subject. She stated they were currently residing at the above address, however, she did not know when they would return to that location.

On March 17, 1969, [redacted] telephonically contacted the FBI Office at Los Angeles, advising that [redacted] in a conversation during the weekend of March 15-16, 1969, mentioned to her that she knew ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and that a boyfriend that she was dating during the period of August through November 1968, also knew ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, and may have received a telephone call from him. [redacted] advised [redacted] is currently employed by [redacted] Los Angeles, California, and may be interviewed at any time.

462-2133 (area code 213)

RKO Broadcasting, 5515 Melrose Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

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This number is a non-published number subscribed to by [redacted] Los Angeles, California.



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NOLA MAY CARTER is the grandmother of AL PRENTICE CARTER, who was interviewed on December 23, 1968, by SAS [redacted] and [redacted]. It is noted that AL PRENTICE CARTER is currently deceased as he was shot on the campus of UCLA by members of "US" on January 17, 1969.

[redacted]

This number is subscribed to by [redacted].

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This number is a non-published number subscribed to by [redacted], Los Angeles, California.

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This number is subscribed to by [redacted], Los Angeles, California.

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This number is a discontinued number and no records are available.

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This number is subscribed to by [redacted] California.

On March 14, 1969, [redacted], advised SAS [redacted] that he is [redacted] stated he had never met ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and has never received any communication from him. He indicated that during October 1968, the "Newsweek" Office in San Francisco, California, was attempting to do a story regarding CLEAVER and that in connection with that story he may have been



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called by persons regarding [redacted] stated that he positively was not called by CLEAVER or anyone knowingly in CLEAVER's behalf, however, he could have been called by someone in CLEAVER's presence.

[redacted]

This is a non-published number subscribed to by [redacted], Los Angeles.

A review of Los Angeles file 157-3243, captioned [redacted] aka RM-BPP", reflects [redacted] moved from [redacted] and is currently believed to be in custody or residing within the Denver Division.

The above information was provided to Denver Office by airtel dated March 6, 1969. The Denver file number concerning [redacted] is 157-291.

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The above number is a non-published number subscribed to by [redacted] Los Angeles, California.

788-9239 (area code 213)

This number is a discontinued number and no records are available to indicate the last subscriber.

787-1012 (area code 714)

This number is currently subscribed to by University of California, 4045 Canyon Crest, Riverside, California.

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[redacted] advised SE [redacted] on March 17, 1969, the above number is subscribed to by [redacted] California.

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On 4/18/69, [redacted] New York Office, advised that he was contacted on 4/15/69, by [redacted] in New York, who proposed that [redacted] was of the opinion that the Subject was possibly in Cuba.

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On 4/30/69, source stated that [redacted] furnished him with a letter for forwarding to a representative of the BPP in California [redacted] This letter is being forwarded to [redacted] BPP National Headquarters, P.O. Box 8641, Emeryville, California.

The New York Division furnished the following information on 3/18/69.

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TO DEFEND ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

[redacted] advised on 1/6/69, that [redacted]

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The above information is not to be made public except in the usual procedure following the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum. The officer to be subpoenaed is [redacted]

The CP,USA has been cited pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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On June 5, 1956, [redacted] Credit Bureau of Greater New York, made available a credit record dated September 26, 1946, which showed that [redacted], resided at [redacted] Bronx, New York, since 1937. He was employed as a [redacted] New York City.

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[redacted] advised in April, 1944, that one [redacted], Bronx, New York, was a member of the University Club, 8th Assembly District, Bronx County CP. (U)

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The same source advised in March and April, 1944, that [redacted] Bronx, New York, was [redacted], University Club, 8th Assembly District, Southern Section, Bronx County CP. (U)

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[redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on March 12, 1969, that David, Oksner and Mitchneck, Incorporated, is an advertising agency with offices located at 711 Third Avenue, New York City.

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On December 30, 1968, [redacted] advised that [redacted], New York City, advised that the International Committee to Free Eldridge Cleaver had raised $7,000.00. This source advised that [redacted] is the [redacted]

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER has been publicly identified as the Minister of Information for the Black Panther Party (BPP).

A characterization of the BPP is contained in the appendix section.

On 3/21/69, the New York Division advised that [redacted] BPP, New York City, advised on 3/21/69, that at the time of the anticipated arrest of the Subject by the California authorities for violation of his parol, the BPP Headquarters in places of congregation of BPP officials were staffed with heavy armed BPP members prepared to kill any representive of law enforcement attempting to enter in search of CLEAVER.

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Other field offices continue to report contacts with informants and potential informants have been unproductive developing information regarding the Subject with the exception of positive information as set out in this report.

Informants of the San Francisco Division familiar with racial or militant matters are being questioned regarding the Subject on a continuing basis.

LEADS:

Information copies of this report are designated for Buffalo, Chicago, Los Angeles, New York, and WFO for information purposes in view of the past and possible future investigation which may be covered in those areas.

Leads in this investigation are not being set out in this report but will be set out under teletypes, and airtels in order to expedite investigation.

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Report of: [redacted] Office: San Francisco, California

Date: MAY 20 1969

Field Office File #: 88-12329 Bureau File #: 100-477251

Title: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

Character: RACIAL MATTER - BLACK PANTHER PARTY; UNLAWFUL FLIGHT TO AVOID PROSECUTION - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER

Synopsis:

[redacted] observed on 3/17/69, assisted by unknown males, moving household furnishings into basement of residence at [redacted] San Francisco, residence of [redacted]. Peeters Transportation Company, a San Francisco mover, picked up 678 pounds of household furnishings from basement, above address, from white female who ordered furnishings packed in water-tight containers for possible overseas shipment, and requested shipment be directed to [redacted] care of [redacted] Papers bearing name of Subject [redacted] found among items picked up. The white female, identified as [redacted] paid $636 cash to cover packing and shipping and signed for [redacted] as consignor. Shipment left SF, 4/8/69, enroute Universal Household Movers, Ontario, Canada for delivery to consignee. [redacted] re-contacted Peeters Transportation Company, 5/5/69, advising that information received from Toronto that shipment could not be reassigned to overseas destination unless [redacted] signed for diversion. [redacted] was told that she might have consignee contact Universal Household Movers to release shipment. [redacted] and [redacted] boarded United Airlines Flight enroute Toronto, Canada, 4/22/69. [redacted] white female, [redacted], interviewed San Francisco, 3/11/69. States she is a friend of [redacted] Denies knowledge of Subject's whereabouts. ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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DETAILS:

ASSOCIATES

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On April 2, 1969, the New Haven Office advised that a list of names and phone numbers regarding Black Panther Party (BPP) leaders was found by the Bridgeport, Connecticut, Police Department in a trash can located at the former residence of captioned individual who is [redacted] BPP, Connecticut. Numbers include the number [redacted] which is the number for the radio telephone in the 1968 Plymouth owned by the Subject and [redacted] and in the possession of [redacted]. Another number, [redacted], was similar to the numbers [redacted] and [redacted] which are the numbers for the former residence of the Subject and [redacted], San Francisco.

[redacted]

The Los Angeles Division advised on February 24, 1969, that captioned individual, who was interviewed at the Los Angeles County Jail, advised that he was [redacted] and expressed the opinion that although he does not know Subject's whereabouts, he believes CLEAVER to be in Cuba attending a guerrilla training school. He further stated that other members of the BPP are in Cuba attending the same schools.

On February 23, 1969, the Chicago Division advised that [redacted] and [redacted] were involved in an attempted highjacking of a United Airlines plane at Chicago on February 23, 1969. Upon their arrest, the name of ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and the telephone numbers 346-4013 and JL 7-4062, the Subject's former residence phone number and former car radio telephone number, were found in their possession.

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RELATIVES

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[redacted] aka [redacted] was interviewed at her residence, [redacted], San Francisco by Reporting Agent on March 11, 1969, after it was ascertained that her name appeared as the first endorser on one of the cashiers checks which [redacted] had purchased about the time of the Subject's disappearance and had later cashed in. [redacted] advised that she is a [redacted] She stated that she has lived at this address for over two years and met the CLEAVERS when they resided at the same address. She has been very friendly with [redacted] since that time. She recalled that Mr. [redacted] CLEAVER had moved into [redacted] shortly after the Subject's release from prison.

[redacted] stated that she has no knowledge of the Subject's whereabouts and would not state whether or not she would advise the authorities if she should receive any information. She indicated that she is sympathetic to him.

[redacted] stated that she has not seen the Subject since shortly prior to his failure to report to the California Adult Authority in November, 1968, and has heard nothing of his whereabouts since that time.

[redacted] demonstrated an uncooperative attitude during the course of the interview and refused to furnish any further information, but reiterated that she has no knowledge of the Subject's whereabouts and did not believe that [redacted] has knowledge of his whereabouts.

On March 17, 1969, attempts were made to recontact [redacted], San Francisco, California [redacted]. These attempts were unsuccessful and agents were refused admittance to the premises by [redacted]

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On April 1, 1969, [redacted] residing [redacted] San Francisco, advised that on March 17, 1969, [redacted] assisted by unknown males, was observed moving household furnishings into the basement of the residence at [redacted]

On April 1, 1969, [redacted] San Francisco, California, [redacted] company picked up 678 pounds of household furnishings from the basement of [redacted] from a white female. She requested that the furnishings be packed in water-tight containers for possible overseas shipment and requested that the shipment be directed to [redacted], care of [redacted] Toronto, Canada. In the course of handling the furniture, the packers discovered a bill of sale #36379 totaling $168.43 to [redacted] San Francisco, California. The name of the company is torn from the bill of sale, but it appears to be a drapery company with one office at 2058 University Avenue, Berkeley, California. The sale includes pillows and bedspreads. [redacted] the following day the white female appeared at the Peeters Transportation Company office and paid $636 in cash to cover this shipment, and the packing of same. [redacted] her name as [redacted] The gross weight of the shipment was 1200 pounds and it was valued by [redacted] at $3,000. Some of the contents of the shipment was photographed prior to packing.

[redacted] signed the papers export declaration [redacted] The name of Universal Household Movers, 148 Norfinch Drive, Downsview, Ontario, Canada was furnished to the Peeters Transportation Company on April 3, 1969, as a Canadian moving company. [redacted] stated that the shipment would be directed to the consignee through this company.

[redacted] subsequently advised that the shipment left San Francisco enroute Toronto, Canada via Pacific Intermountain Express (PIE) on April 8, 1969. He advised that the crate in which the furniture is packed is regulation size "van pack"; dimensions are 4' X 6' X 8' (packed for overseas shipment); black squares (4") are painted on the upper corners of the crate. The shipment left San Francisco on trailer #90-1828 under freight bill #3580509. An expired California

driver's license issued to "ELDRIDGE CLEAVER" was also among the effects.

On May 7, 1969, [redacted] contacted the San Francisco Office and advised that [redacted] had recontacted [redacted] advising that information received from Toronto that the shipment could not be reassigned to an overseas destination unless [redacted], whose name appears as consignor, signs for diversion. [redacted] was told that she might have the consignee contact Universal Household Movers to authorize release of shipment.

On April 22, 1969, [redacted] and [redacted] boarded United Airlines Flight 130 at 3:10 P.M. enroute Toronto, Canada. The above persons were observed by agents boarding the aircraft. It had been previously determined that the American Airlines at San Francisco had received pre-paid reservations for [redacted] who were scheduled to depart San Francisco, California 1:30 P.M. via American Airlines enroute Toronto. A check at the airport at that time revealed that these persons did not board their flight. The reservations had previously been made and pre-paid by one [redacted]

[redacted] and [redacted] were observed arriving at the airport in [redacted] 1968 Plymouth, hardtop sedan.

RESIDENCES

On March 12, 1969, a blue 1969 Toyota automobile bearing California license YAB912 was observed parked in front of the residence of [redacted] previously determined to be the current residence of [redacted] at [redacted] San Francisco. A check of the vehicle registration reveals that this car was owned by Dollar-a-Day rent a car, 101 Bayshore Highway, Millbrae, California. Subsequent inquiry at Dollar-a-Day rent a car reflects that this car was rented on February 11, 1969, by [redacted] for a thirty-day period. An additional driver was listed as [redacted] maiden name).

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The following investigation was conducted by the Detroit Division:

AT GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

At 10:47 p.m. on February 5, 1969, Sergeant [redacted], Ottawa County Sheriff's Office, telephonically advised SA [redacted] that at 10:19 p.m. a telephone call had been received from a young male who identified himself as [redacted], Grand Valley College, a student, phone [redacted], and said there is a persistent rumor that CLEAVER is being hidden out in Apartment #8, Muskegon House Apartments on 42nd Street near Grand Valley College. [redacted] advised that this apartment house is part of a group of four apartments located just south of the college and not on college property. He advised the apartments are privately owned. [redacted] had no information as to the reliability of the information.

Efforts to reach anyone at the telephone number given during the night and the early morning of February 5-6, 1969, failed to reach anyone.

On February 6, 1969, it was determined that the telephone listed to [redacted] Michigan, and Sheriff BERNARD GRYSEN, Ottawa County, telephonically advised that the operator was a very reliable individual.

AT JENISON, MICHIGAN

The following investigation was conducted on February 6, 1969:

Deputy [redacted], Jenison, Michigan, advised that he formerly lived on [redacted] Michigan; that the apartment was owned by [redacted] of Grand Rapids, Michigan; that there is a reliable family that lives in [redacted] right under [redacted], by the name of [redacted] that [redacted] and she has furnished reliable information in the past.

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[redacted] is the [redacted] Michigan and any information she or her husband furnished could be relied upon.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] is occupied by one [redacted], about 20 years of age, white male, heavy build, long hair over his ears, wears wire-rimmed glasses and is a "hippie-type" with a black mustache. He said that [redacted] is [redacted] and has a roommate, name unknown, who is a white male, about 180 pounds, 6'2" and has a black mustache. He said they have many parties in the apartment but so far as he knew they used only liquor and that students of all kinds came to the apartment. [redacted] never heard of a [redacted]

Detective [redacted] Ottawa County Sheriff's Office advised that there have been a series of mysterious calls. He stated that once there were four calls in 20 minutes, late at night and that the callers reported that there was a group of students at a given location "knocked out" from LSD. He stated that it was necessary to get two undercover officers to investigate and it turned out there was absolutely no truth to the allegation.

Efforts were made to locate [redacted] at [redacted] but she was not available. Detective [redacted] determined that the property was no longer owned by [redacted] that there had been foreclosure proceedings, and that the property is now owned by the Farm Bureau Insurance Company of Lansing, Michigan [redacted].

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On February 6, 1969, [redacted] Michigan, advised Deputy [redacted] and SA [redacted] that [redacted] is employed in some [redacted] in [redacted] Michigan, and [redacted] is employed by [redacted] Michigan.

On February 6, 1969, [redacted] advised he lives in [redacted] directly under [redacted], occupied by [redacted]. He advised that he frequently goes to [redacted] and he is often at the parties. He stated that he was in [redacted] on the night of February 5, 1969 and stated that there are no Negroes staying there. He stated that some Negroes come on occasions to drinking parties, but that he has never seen anyone who resembles the subject and certainly there has never been anyone there as old as 33 years of age. [redacted] indicated he would cooperate in every way. He was furnished a photograph of the subject and he assured that if the subject ever did appear, and that it is highly unlikely, he would immediately advise the FBI and local authorities.

The following investigation was conducted by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] on February 6, 1969:

AT ALLENDALE, MICHIGAN

[redacted], private line telephone number [redacted] advised that he did not know any [redacted], although he thought there were some people living around Allendale with the last name of [redacted]. However, he knew none that were students at Grand Valley State College. He said he closed his business and locked the place at about 6:30 p.m., February 5, 1969. He advised that no one would have had access to his telephone during the night of February 5-6, 1969, and there was no evidence of any break-in, etc. He stated that he and his wife had gone to a church function at 6:30 p.m. and thereafter went to their current

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temporary residence at [redacted] Allendale, telephone [redacted]. He examined Wanted Flyer and stated subject was unknown to him. He again stated no one would have been at his business telephone after 6:30 p.m. and he knew no [redacted].

AT GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

[redacted], Merchants Service Bureau, advised that credit files of her agency contained no reference to anyone who could be identified with a [redacted], who might be of student age or a student at Grand Valley State College.

AT ALLENDALE, MICHIGAN

[redacted], Grand Valley State College, advised there is no person currently registered, or previously registered at that college under the name of [redacted], and the only one with that last name who ever was shown in attendance at Grand Valley State College was [redacted]
He examined Wanted Flyer of subject and stated he did not know subject and had no explanation for the instant telephone call. He said he would mention the facts to [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted] on March 3, 1969:

AT KANSAS CITY, KANSAS

[redacted] Ace in the Hole Tavern, 9 Central Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas, stated she has worked as [redacted] for approximately 14 months, and was shown photographs of subject and stated she has never seen him in the tavern or any place else. Subject's name was unfamiliar to her. She stated [redacted] cannot be contacted.

On March 3, 1969, [redacted] Golden Girl Tavern, 44 North James Street, Kansas City, Kansas, stated he worked at the Ace in the Hole Tavern until last fall. He was shown a photograph of the subject and stated it was very similar to a person he saw in the Ace in the Hole Tavern once, month unrecalled, in the summer of 1968. He stated this person was alone, was standing next to the pool table in the Ace in the Hole for about ten minutes, then he left. [redacted] stated he never saw him again. [redacted] did not see any car and he did not see this person leave, he has no idea which way he went or if he drove at all. He described this person as approximately 5'11", 160-165 pounds, in his early 30's. He could not remember how he was dressed. [redacted] stated that since this person was only at the tavern for a few minutes, he could not say positively whether he was the subject or not.

On March 3, 1969, the following persons checked their respective records concerning the subject and could locate nothing identifiable:

[redacted]
Kansas City, Kansas, Police Department

[redacted]
Wyandotte County, Kansas, Sheriff's Office

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In addition to the above, other reports of "lookalikes" in the San Francisco area and other parts of the country are being checked on a continuing basis.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Seattle, Washington:

On February 18, 1969, inquiry of Directory Assistance, Pacific Northwest Bell Telephone, Seattle, reflected that the telephone number 622-9928 is assigned to the City of Seattle, and the telephone is located in the men's restroom of the Snoqualmie Room Restaurant, Seattle Center, 320 First North, Seattle.

On the same date Officer [redacted], Seattle Police Department, advised he is assigned to the police substation, Seattle Center. He stated there is only one telephone available in the Snoqualmie Room and that is in the men's room, telephone number [redacted]. In reviewing the schedule of events at the Snoqualmie Room, [redacted] determined that it had been hired out to the Peace and Freedom Party (PFP) on September 17, 1968, from twelve noon until 10:00 PM the same date. [redacted] believed ELDRIDGE CLEAVER was to have spoken to the gathering in person but was unable to appear. CLEAVER was subsequently nominated for President of the United States by this party.

On February 18, 1969, it was also ascertained through Directory Assistance that the telephone number 543-3507 is assigned to [redacted] University of Washington Hospital, Seattle.

On February 19, 1969, [redacted] was contacted [redacted] stated he was [redacted] and had been associated with the PFP, however, was not a member. He advised he had been in contact with CLEAVER in the past but specifically had not heard from him since sometime in the Fall of 1968. These contacts had pertained to the business of the PFP. [redacted] declined further comment on CLEAVER.

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AT CHINO, CALIFORNIA

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

It is noted that prior investigation determined telephone number [redacted] was subscribed to during the pertinent period by [redacted]. Prior investigation also determined that [redacted] currently incarcerated at the California Men's Colony, Chino, California.

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On March 27, 1969, [redacted], California Prison Number [redacted], an inmate at the California Institution for Men, advised that he had known ELDRIDGE CLEAVER in San Quentin Prison. He stated that he got out of prison [redacted] and was residing at [redacted] He stated that during September or October he had received a call from ELDRIDGE CLEAVER telling him that he was glad [redacted] was out of jail. He stated that he does not recall any pertinent or other conversation at that time and has no knowledge whatsoever regarding the present whereabouts of ELDRIDGE CLEAVER. He stated he does not recall getting a second call from CLEAVER, but did mention that there were lots of people in and out of his apartment that might have received a call from CLEAVER but he did not state who any person that might have received a call from CLEAVER.

[redacted] advised that he had no information regarding the whereabouts of CLEAVER but that he definitely would not give any information to any law enforcement officer if he did have any knowledge as to CLEAVER's whereabouts.

[redacted]

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

[redacted] telephone number [redacted] was advised by SA [redacted] of the Fugitive status of subject on April 9, 1969. She advised

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she is aware of subject's status as a Fugitive from justice but is in possession of absolutely no information regarding his whereabouts. She advised she has resided at the above address since approximately June 1968, and has subscribed to utilities at that address from June 1968 to the present date. [redacted] stated she receives several crank telephone calls and also misdialed telephone calls to her residence.

[redacted] stated should any information come to her attention regarding subject, she would immediately notify the FBI Office at Los Angeles.

It is noted that [redacted] telephone number, [redacted] could have been dialed incorrectly, inasmuch as [redacted] telephone number is [redacted] San Francisco is aware of [redacted] prior interview by Special Agents of the Los Angeles Office.

[redacted]

[redacted], advised SAs [redacted] on March 20, 1969 they have resided at that apartment for over one year. They advised they do not know subject and have never received a communication from him.

It is noted that telephone number [redacted] could have been misdialed by subject or someone in his apartment and that the number intended to be dialed is [redacted], a discontinued number concerning which there are no records as previously reported.

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[redacted], Los Angeles, Calif. telephone number [redacted] was interviewed at her employment, [redacted] on March 17, 1969 by SA [redacted]

[redacted] stated she last saw subject at a Black Panther Party rally during early November 1968. She advised she has met ELDRIDGE CLEAVER in person and has seen CLEAVER on several occasions. She elaborated that her knowledge of and

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[redacted] ALPRENTICE CARTER, also known as "Bunchie", prior associate of subject, and who is deceased. It is noted that ALPRENTICE CARTER is a prior member and functionary in the Black Panther Party, Los Angeles, California.

[redacted] visited and stayed with subject and subject's wife. [redacted] stated while in San Francisco, she remembers meeting several persons but at this time could furnish no information as to their identities. She further stated that the time of these visits to San Francisco would be approximately late summer and early fall 1968. She stated that during these visits, subject made no mention of possible flight from the State of California regarding his state parole or other criminal actions against him.

[redacted] January 17, 1969, the date CARTER was murdered on the campus of the University of California at Los Angeles. [redacted] stated subsequent to September or October 1968, she received no communication from CARTER or subject. [redacted] stated on numerous occasions prior to September or October 1968, ALPRENTICE CARTER would call her from subject's residence.

[redacted] stated she doubted she would receive any communication from subject or receive any indications of his whereabouts in the future. She further stated that should she receive an indication of subject's whereabouts, she was undecided as to whether or not she would notify the FBI in Los Angeles. She was advised of the Federal Harboring Statute and Federal process outstanding regarding subject.

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[redacted], telephone number [redacted] was located and interviewed by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] on March 20, 1969 [redacted] resides in an

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apartment located at the rear of the above address. [redacted] advised an apartment located at [redacted] was rented by a Negro male named [redacted] from September 25, 1968 thru November 25, 1968. [redacted] is described as a Negro male, 26-27 years old. [redacted] stated that [redacted] is believed to be employed [redacted] Los Angeles, California. [redacted] further advised that during [redacted] tenancy at the above address, [redacted] named [redacted] resided with him. [redacted] stated he did not know subject and could not recognize a photograph of subject.

[redacted] stated that he did not know the current residence of [redacted] however, [redacted] could easily be reached in care of telephone number [redacted]

Numerous attempts have been made to dial the above number in an attempt to locate [redacted] by an appropriate pretext with negative results.

On April 14, 1969, records of [redacted] Los Angeles, were caused to be searched in reference to a possible employee named [redacted], employed at [redacted] Los Angeles. Personnel at [redacted] advised they show no current employment of an individual named [redacted] or [redacted] at the facility located at [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted], was located and interviewed on March 20, 1969 by SA [redacted] [redacted] stated she has resided at that address since 1963 and is a subscriber to telephone number [redacted].

[redacted] stated she has never met subject or [redacted] and has received no communication from them. [redacted] stated she does not believe that subject's prior actions have been appropriate, and she has previously refused to support him by attending his rallies.

[redacted] stated the only person she knows that may have some connection with subject is [redacted], who resides at [redacted], telephone number

[redacted] stated that [redacted] is believed to be married to [redacted] who has been in contact with ELDRIDGE CLEAVER in the past. [redacted] stated the last time she believed [redacted] was in contact with CLEAVER was during approximately September 1968.

[redacted] was asked if she has ever received a communication from subject or anyone in his behalf. She replied that possibly during the early fall 1968, someone may have called her residence in an attempt to either locate [redacted] [redacted] or [redacted] She stated she has not received any communication which would implicate her direct association with subject.

[redacted] was advised of the provisions of the Federal Harboring Statute and stated she would immediately notify the FBI at Los Angeles should she receive any indication of subject's whereabouts.

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[redacted] advised SAs [redacted] and [redacted] he has never known subject or communicated with him. [redacted] was asked if he could verify his residence for the past several months and he thereafter produced several utility bills including several billings for telephone number [redacted] One telephone bill was found to cover all charges made to [redacted] telephone during October 1968 and failed to list a collect call from subject's San Francisco telephone or any collect call from the San Francisco area.

[redacted] stated should he receive any indication of subject's whereabouts, he would immediately contact the FBI at Los Angeles.

[redacted]

[redacted] was located and interviewed on March 20, 1969 by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] advised his telephone number is [redacted] was shown an identification order photograph of subject, and he advised that he does not know subject and has never communicated with him in any way. [redacted] explained that

he has heard subject's name mentioned on several occasions in the news media but has never known him personally. [redacted] advised he has only resided at the above residence for approximately two months; however, he has subscribed to utilities, including the above telephone number, for the last 10 years. [redacted] stated he previously resided at [redacted], Los Angeles, California.

[redacted] stated should he receive any communication from subject or indication of subject's whereabouts, he would promptly advise the FBI at Los Angeles.

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AT PACIFIC PALISADES, CALIFORNIA

On March 28, 1969, SA [redacted] displayed identification order number 4239 to [redacted] telephone number [redacted] was told that the FBI was seeking information regarding subject's whereabouts, inasmuch as he is a Federal fugitive. [redacted] stated she was aware of subject's fugitive status and had no information which could be of assistance of the FBI in attempting to locate subject. [redacted] was asked if she was acquainted with subject and she declined to answer, stating she would prefer to have her attorney present before making additional comments.

Federal process outstanding regarding subject as well as the provisions of the Federal Harboring Statute were explained in detail to [redacted] and the interview was thereafter terminated.

Upon departing [redacted] residence, a Hillman automobile was observed bearing California License [redacted] and a sticker was observed affixed to her rear bumper depicting "Peace and Freedom".

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

[redacted] advised SE [redacted] on April 9, 1969 the above telephone number is currently subscribed to by [redacted] Los Angeles, California. The

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above telephone number has been subscribed to by [redacted] for several years.

On April 9, 1969, [redacted] advised SAs [redacted] and [redacted] he has resided at the above residence since 1954 and that his telephone number is [redacted] was shown a photograph of subject and stated he never observed subject before and had never communicated with him. [redacted] stated that should he receive any information relative to subject, he would promptly advise the FBI at Los Angeles.

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The following persons who are affiliated with the BPP or suspected of having been affiliated were questioned during interviews regarding the Subject and all denied knowledge of the Subject's whereabouts:

| Name | Place | Date | Agent |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Oakland, California | 3/5/69 | |
| | Oakland, California | 3/6/69 | |
| | San Francisco, California | 3/20/69 | |
| | Calif | " | |
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| | Oakland, California | " | |
| | Pleasanton, California | 2/25/69 | |
| MRMC | Hayward, California | 3/24/69 | |
| | San Francisco, California | 4/30/69 | |
| | Oakland, California | 5/9/69 | |

BLACK PANTHER PARTY, aka
Black Panther Party for
Self Defense

According to its official newspaper, the Black Panther Party (BPP) was started during December, 1966, in Oakland, California, to organize black people so they can take control of the life, politics, and the destiny of the black community. It was organized by Bobby George Seale, BPP Chairman, and Huey P. Newton, BPP Minister of Defense. Newton is presently serving a sentence of 2 to 15 years on a conviction of manslaughter in connection with the killing of an Oakland police officer.

The official newspaper, "The Black Panther," which further describes itself as the "Black Community News Service," states that the BPP advocates the use of guns and guerrilla tactics in its revolutionary program to end oppression of the black people. Residents of the black community are urged to arm themselves against the police who are consistently referred to in the publication as "pigs" who should be killed.

"The Black Panther" issue of September 7, 1968, contains an editorial by BPP Minister of Education, George Mason Murray, which ends with the following:

"Black men. Black people, colored persons of America, revolt everywhere! Arm yourselves. The only culture worth keeping is a revolutionary culture. Change. Freedom everywhere. Dynamite! Black Power. Use the gun. Kill the pigs everywhere."

Included in the introduction to an article appearing in the October 5, 1968, edition of "The Black Panther" is the statement, "...we will not dissent from American Government. We will overthrow it."

Issues of "The Black Panther" regularly contain quotations from the writings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung of the People's Republic of China and feature MAO's statement that "political power grows out of the barrel of a gun."

The national headquarters of the BPP is located at 3106 Shattuck Avenue, Berkeley, California. Branches have been established at various locations throughout the United States.

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TO DIRECTOR 100-447251 AND SAN FRANCISCO 88-12329 (PLAIN)

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ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-161321

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE.

IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN.

RM-BPP. UFAC-ASSAULT WITH ATTEMPT TO COMMIT MURDER.

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RE SF TEL CON TO NY INSTANT DATE. 100-447251-619

ON SIX TWO LAST [redacted] (PROTECT IDENTITY)

[redacted] ADVISED [redacted]

[redacted] 15 JUN 5 1969

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] (PROTECT IDENTITY) [redacted]

[redacted] ADVISED ON SIX TWO LAST, THAT [redacted]

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TELETYPED TO: [redacted] XEROX

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SF MAY 1969

[redacted]

[redacted] ACCORDING TO [redacted]

[redacted] FLED CUBA TO MEXICO AND WITHIN THE PAST MONTH

HAS COME TO THE U.S. [redacted] CURRENTLY RESIDING AT

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

NYO WILL ATTEMPT TO INTERVIEW [redacted] AND [redacted]

[redacted] ON SIX THREE, NEXT.

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CLEAVER SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

NYO WILL SUTEL RESULTS OF INTERVIEWS.

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FBI WASH DC

cc- Mr. Sullivan

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251), NEW YORK (100-161321), AND WFO (88-[illegible]

NEW YORK AND WFO VIA WASHINGTON PLAINTEXT

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329)(P) 1P

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, ~~IO~~ IDENTIFICATION ORDER NUMBER FOUR TWO THREE [redacted]
NINE; ~~WF~~ WANTED FLYER FOUR FOUR SEVEN, ~~RM~~ RACIAL MATTER - ~~BPP~~ BLACK PANTHER PARTY; ~~UFAC~~ UNLAWFUL FLIGHT TO AVOID CONFINEMENT - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER, ~~OO~~ OFFICE OF ORIGIN --SAN FRANCISCO.

ARTICLE APPEARING IN MAY TWENTY FIVE, LAST ISSUE SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA STATES SUBJECT HAS BEEN FOUND RESIDING IN SPACIOUS SIX FLOOR APARTMENT NEAR HAVANA'S BUSINESS CENTER, HAVANA, CUBA. [redacted] THE ARTICLE INDICATES THAT HAVANA HAS TWO MAIN HOTELS AND SOME OF ITS STREETS ARE OFF LIMITS FOR SUBJECT. THE APARTMENT IS ALLEGEDLY A FREQUENT MEETING PLACE FOR SMALL COLONY OF BLACK PANTHERS IN EXILE THERE. THE BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO HAVE LEGAT, LONDON CONTACT REUTERS NEWS AGENCY FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [redacted] FOR DETAILS. UNLESS REASON EXISTS TO CONTRARY, NEW YORK AND WFO WILL CONTACT REUTERS HEADQUARTERS IN THEIR CITIES FOR ANY INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

DATE: 5/29/69

FROM : SAC, BOSTON (157-637)(P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
FUGITIVE
IO 4239
WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT
WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO San Francisco

Re Bureau airtel 4/25/69.

Credit and criminal checks have been conducted in all major cities throughout the Boston Division and motor vehicle bureau checks have been made which include complete coverage of the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Rhode Island during the period 5/1-27/69. In each instance no information was obtained which would lead to the location of the subject.

Personnel of the following temporary labor employment firms were contacted on the dates indicated and in every case no identifiable reference to the subject was obtained although wanted flyers were distributed and in each instance the persons named below agreed to notify the Boston Office of the FBI should they learn anything:

5/15/69
[redacted]
Manpower
416 Tremont St., Boston

5/15/69
[redacted]
Labor Pool
490 Tremont St., Boston

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17 Beach St., Boston

5/23/69

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251)

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUG.;IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE;WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM-BPP;UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO SAN FRANCISCO.

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[redacted] ADVISE AS FOLLOWS -

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251) AND NEW YORK

NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON PLAINTEXT

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) 1P

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER, OO SF.

NEW YORK IS REQUESTED TO CONTACT ASSOCIATED PRESS AND

RE INFORMATION

CONCERNING WHEREABOUTS OF CLEAVER.

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CC - Mr. Sullivan

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-~~477251~~) 447251) 0-7 TO DE; NH; SF 6/19/69

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (157-2699) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
I. O. 4239;
WF 447
RM - BLACK PANTHER PARTY;
UFAC; ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SAN FRANCISCO)

Re New Haven airtel to Bureau, dated 4/10/69, and Detroit airtel to Bureau, dated 5/8/69, captioned as above.

The following investigation was conducted by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] at Three Rivers, Michigan:

On 5/19/69, [redacted] General Telephone Company of Michigan, Three Rivers, advised that Constantine telephone number [redacted] is presently not assigned, and this number has not been assigned since 1964. [redacted] advised that she is unable to determine the party to which this number was last assigned due to the fact that records prior to 1968 have been destroyed pursuant to company policy.

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[redacted] advised that the Three Rivers Office covers Constantine, Michigan, and there is no office in that city.

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AT BEAVERTON, MICHIGAN

Will ascertain subscriber to telephone number [redacted] and determine relationship with CLEAVER.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (88-15756) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC -
ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: San Francisco

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau dated 2/4/69, and Los Angeles letter to San Francisco dated 4/2/69.

[redacted]

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Continued contact has been maintained with [redacted] to effect an interview with [redacted] Though [redacted] had undoubtedly been in contact with [redacted] continued contact with her has been unproductive.

AT ENCINO, CALIFORNIA

On 5/26/69, an attempt was made to interview [redacted] at her residence [redacted] Though [redacted] was not located, [redacted] advised that [redacted] was in Washington, D. C; that [redacted] would arrive in New York on 5/27/69, or 5/28/69, where she

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would remain approximately one month. [redacted] stated that [redacted] could be reached in care of telephone number [redacted] New York City.

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

On 5/27/69, a person identifying himself as [redacted] called the Los Angeles, FBI Office. (An LA phone directory lists [redacted] as above.) [redacted] advised he had been informed by [redacted] that the FBI had made an inquiry. [redacted] inquired as to the nature of the inquiry. He was advised the FBI was seeking [redacted] assistance in an official Government inquiry, and that [redacted] was not subject of the inquiry. [redacted] advised [redacted] would surely be of assistance but that [redacted] preferred to be present during the interview. [redacted] was advised it may be necessary to interview [redacted] in New York City. [redacted] advised should [redacted] return to Los Angeles soon he would notify the FBI.

For the information of New York City, the San Francisco Office has previously advised that an employee of a bail bonds company, Palo Alto, California, which holds a $50,000 bond forfeited by subject, informed that [redacted] has allegedly pledged to furnish approximately $5,000 to reimburse those persons who will have to make good subject's bond forfeiture. San Francisco requested Los Angeles to interview [redacted] regarding any knowledge she may have regarding subject's whereabouts or associates.

Los Angeles indices reflect that from 1960, through 1968, [redacted] lended her support to various front groups and organizations including the following:

National Committee for a Sane Nuclear Policy and ACLU. She attended a "Salute for Freedom" Concert, the proceeds of which were for the NAACP, Core, etc., and is [redacted]

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For information of New York it is felt that if [redacted] is in possession of any pertinent information regarding subject, an interview of her in New York City would be more fruitful than a proposed interview of her in Los Angeles in the proposed presence of her attorney.

If appropriate, New York City is requested to promptly interview [redacted] in care of New York City telephone number [redacted]

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (88-15754) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC -
ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMIT MURDER
OO: San Francisco

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Re New York airtel to Bureau dated 4/18/69.

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AT SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA

[redacted] on 4/24/69, and 5/2/69, advised SA [redacted] [redacted] he was unaware of the identity of persons named [redacted] or [redacted].

On 5/23/69, [redacted] advised that persons named [redacted] or [redacted] are unknown among minority students at Santa Barbara City College or the University of California at Santa Barbara.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Indices of the Los Angeles Office contain no identifiable references regarding [redacted] or [redacted]

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2 - San Francisco (88-12329) (RM)
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[redacted], who has furnished reliable information in the past and who is familiar with BPP membership and functions, advised on 4/22/69, he did not know [redacted] (LNU) or [redacted] (LNU). Source did not know of any "lay low" houses in the Los Angeles area. Source was alerted to the above, however, on subsequent contacts of 5/5/69, and 5/29/69, no information was provided.

Information copy furnished Boston.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (88-15756) (P)

RE : LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
I.O. #4239; W.F. #447
RM-BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: San Francisco

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 5/8/69, and Chicago airtel to San Francisco, 5/21/69.

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

ADMINISTRATIVE

RE: [redacted]

Referenced San Francisco airtel advised [redacted] called the BPP, San Francisco, on 3/31/69.

[redacted] advised SE [redacted] on 5/27/69, that prior to 5/31/68, telephone No. [redacted] (non-published)

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3 - San Francisco (AM - RM)
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was subscribed to by [redacted]
Los Angeles. On 5/31/68, this number was changed to [redacted] b6
(non-published) and on 8/20/68, again changed to [redacted] b7C
On 10/14/68, the number was again changed to the present
number [redacted] (non-published).

On 5/29/69, [redacted] advised of the following toll charges to Number [redacted]:

| Date | Place Called | Number Called |
|---|---|---|
| 1/20/69 | San Francisco | [redacted] |
| 1/24/69 | " " | |
| 2/1/69 | San Francisco | |
| 2/23/69 | Chicago, Illinois | |
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| Date | Place Called | Number Called |
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| 4/9/69 | San Francisco | [redacted] |
| 4/9/69 | " " | |

Several local message units on the above number were listed. Inasmuch as several of the numbers were called repeatedly, all numbers are being recorded only once as set forth below:

| Place Called | Number Called |
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| Beverly Hills, California | [redacted] |
| Downey, California | |
| Pasadena, California | |
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| Santa Monica, California | |
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| " " | |
| " " | |
| San Fernando, California | |
| West Los Angeles, California | |

On 5/24/69, the approximate time when the news media started to report subject's alleged presence in Cuba, [redacted] called the FBI Office in Los Angeles, at 8:58 PM. [redacted] stated she would call back on 5/26/69. On 5/26/69, [redacted] failed to call the FBI Office.

On 6/3/69, [redacted] was re-interviewed at her residence, [redacted], Los Angeles. She advised she has received no information regarding subject since her last interview by the FBI, but that if she did receive positive information she would not reveal it to the FBI. [redacted] said she had been in constant contact with her relatives and had made numerous inquiries regarding subject's whereabouts with negative results.

[redacted] requested that should subject be located, she desired to be advised and thereafter furnished her telephone number [redacted] (non-published). She also stated she was employed as [redacted] Los Angeles.

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[redacted] stated that during her contact of relatives and friends, no one indicated they had received any communication from subject.

[redacted] advised she had called the FBI on 5/24/69, as she had heard on the radio that subject had been located in Cuba; that she attempted to learn from the FBI if subject had in fact been located.

Referenced Chicago airtel listed Los Angeles telephone number [redacted] as being called from Chicago telephone of [redacted] Telephone number [redacted] is the telephone of [redacted] who has been previously interviewed regarding subject.

Investigation to date indicates that [redacted] has been closer to subject than any of [redacted] during interview has made the statement that she is [redacted] that she does not know where he is, but that she has made numerous inquiries. [redacted] telephone call to the FBI on 5/24/69, possibly indicates her lack of another source who could advise her of subject's status.

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CHICAGO

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS: If not previously handled, determine subscriber to [redacted] and [redacted], and appropriately handle.

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will determine subscriber to above Los Angeles area numbers and conduct logical investigation.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

[redacted]

DAILY SUMMARY

Re Chicago airtel to San Francisco 5/21/69 and San Francisco airtel 5/29/69.

Referenced airtel reports that phone calls were made from telephone number listed to [redacted] from November, 1968, to April, 1969, include phone calls to Los Angeles, Calif.; Kansas City, Mo.; and Tulsa, Okla. Leads set out to check out these listings.

San Francisco has set out leads regarding telephone calls made from [redacted] residence, [redacted], San Francisco, Calif. A review of the toll records reflected calls made to various cities throughout the United States.

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To: SAC, San Francisco (88-12329)

From: Director, FBI (100-447251) 629

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER REC-106
FUGITIVE
I.O. #4239, W.F. #447
RM-BPP
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: San Francisco

Re New York tel, June 3, last, concerning possible lead for Legat, Mexico City. [redacted] (S)

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Inasmuch as San Francisco is aware that [redacted] is currently in Cuba, Legat, Mexico City, not being requested to attempt to contact [redacted] b6 b7C

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9:30 PM URGENT 6-3-69 AWS

TO DIRECTOR 100-447251, AND SAN FRANCISCO 88-12329 (CODE)

SAN FRANCISCO VIA WASHINGTON

ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-161321

DATE: 11-02-2006
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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN; RM-BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER; OO: SF.

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[redacted]

[redacted] ADVISED TODAY THAT [redacted] STATED THAT [redacted] CURRENTLY RESIDING [redacted] STATED THAT [redacted] DEPARTED HAVANA, CUBA ON DECEMBER FOURTEEN, LAST AND TRAVELLED TO MEXICO CITY TO AWAIT FURTHER CONNECTIONS FOR MIAMI, FLORIDA.

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WHILE REISDING IN MEXICO CITY, HE MET SEVERAL CUBAN REFUGEES, SOME OF WHOM ADVISED HIM THAT [redacted] WAS BEING OCCUPIED BY NEGRO MALE, WEARING AN EARRING AND FURTHER DESCRIBED AS [redacted] BEING CONGOLESE. HE STATED THAT HE HAD NO PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF THIS

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PERSON AND DUE TO FACT [redacted] AS WELL AS OTHER FRIENDS, HE DID NOT LIKE TO DIVULGE THE NAMES OF ALL THE PEOPLE WHO HAVE TOLD HIM ABOUT [redacted] HAS THE ADDRESS OF [redacted] THIS IS A MODERN APARTMENT BUILDING OF COOPERATIVES, ABOUT SIXTEEN YEARS OLD, WITH ONLY ABOUT SIX OF THE ORIGINAL TENANTS LEFT AS THE CASTRO GOVERNMENT HAS TAKEN THE REMAINDER OF THE UNITS.

[redacted] THEN STATED THAT AFTER A FEW MONTHS IN MEXICO CITY, THEY MET [redacted] NOW OF [redacted] HE WAS THE PERSON WHO ADVISED HIM OF THE FACT THAT [redacted] WAS A MEMBER OF THE BLACK PANTHERS.

AFTER READING THE REUTERS NEWS SERVICE REPORT THAT SUBJECT WAS RESIDING IN A LUXURY APARTMENT IN HAVANA, [redacted] THEN BECAME CONVINCED THAT [redacted] LED THEM



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TO THIS CONCLUSION.

THEY HAVE NO SPECIFIC INFORMATION THAT CLEAVER HIJACKED AN AIRPLANE, BUT DID HEAR PRIOR TO THEIR DEPARTURE FROM HAVANA, THAT A PANTHER WAS REPORTED TO HAVE HIJACKED ONE OF THE MANY AIRPLANES. THIS CAME FROM CERTAIN FRIENDS [redacted] NO FURTHER DETAILS KNOWN.

[redacted] HAVE NO PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE THAT [redacted] BUT DUE TO RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE NEWS AND PAST REPORTS OF CUBAN REFUGEES, THEY FEEL SURE THAT [redacted]

THEY ALSO STATED THAT REFUGEES HAVE REPORTED THAT CLEAVER CAME TO HAVANA BEARDLESS, BUT NOW HAS A BEARD, OFTEN WEARS AN EARRING IN LEFT EAR AND HIS HAIR IS OF LONG AFRO BUSHY TYPE.

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[redacted] ALSO ADVISED THAT [redacted]

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[redacted] IS CONVINCED [redacted]

[redacted] DUE TO CIRCUMSTANCES SET FORTH ABOVE AND KNOWS THAT [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] WILL ADVISE IF ANY MORE POSITIVE INFORMATION DEVELOPED RE SUBJECT AND HE HAS MADE EFFORTS TO ASCERTAIN IF [redacted] DEPARTED OR WILL DEPART MADRID, SPAIN, FOR HAVANA, CUBA. [redacted] EXTREMELY COOPERATIVE BUT REQUESTED THAT ANY INQUIRIES MADE IN THIS MATTER SHOULD NOT REFLECT THEM AS THE SOURCE OF ANY INFORMATION.

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currently in Havana per SF file 6-4-69. not being emoved JJ

BUREAU SHOULD CONSIDER HAVING LEGAT, MEXICO CITY ATTEMPT TO LOCATE [redacted] (S)

(S) [redacted] BUREAU SHOULD ALSO CONSIDER [redacted] (C) (C) (C)

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INTERVIEW. NY WILL MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH [redacted] FOR ANY ADDITIONAL DATA. AIR MAIL COPY HOUSTON. CHECK INDICES RE [redacted]

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TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SF

DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel to the Bureau, 6/2/69.

Bureau source advises that Subject has been in refuge in Cuba and was attempting to obtain invitation from Algeria to travel to Algiers where he planned to meet [redacted] arrival Paris, France, confirmed. Bureau source states [redacted] to travel to Algiers from Paris.

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[redacted], confidentially advised that [redacted]

[redacted] interviewed. He advises that after leaving Havana and while residing Mexico City, Cuban refugees advised him that [redacted]

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[redacted] advised him that [redacted]

[redacted] states after [redacted] he became convinced [redacted].

[redacted] have no personal knowledge that Subject [redacted].

[redacted] furnished information regarding [redacted]

Reliable source of Los Angeles Division advises that [redacted] of Malcolm X Foundation, stated that about last week of May, 1969, [redacted] left U.S. for Europe and arrangements were made for travel to Cuba through France. [redacted] now reported in Cuba.

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TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SF

DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 6/3/69, and San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 5/12/69.

[redacted] interviewed and stated [redacted] read Subject's book, "Soul on Ice" in connection with preparation of paper. Denies personal knowledge of Subject and states will cooperate with FBI.

Confidential source at New York Office advises that bank account of International Committee to Defend ELDRIDGE CLEAVER maintained at Chemical Bank, New York City, fails to reflect any recent activity. Balance as of 5/21/69 was $537.79.

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IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SF

DAILY SUMMARY

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 6/4/69.

San Diego Division advises that La Mesa, Calif. telephone number called from residence of [redacted] San Francisco, listed to [redacted] who has been previously interviewed and is uncooperative.

Investigation to locate Black Panther member [redacted] reported as associate of Subject, has been unsuccessful to date.

Little Rock Division advises that reliable source of Sheriffs Office, Ft. Smith, Arkansas, claims that Subject has been "hanging around the Gladstone Bar", 9th and Benton Streets, Kansas City, Mo. Subject also reportedly seen "hanging around a laundromat," in same area.

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ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-161321 3P

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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO 4239, WF 447; RM - BPP
UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

ReSFairtel, 5/22/69.

[redacted] who is in a position to have information relative to the New York City BPP operations, has not furnished any data that would verify the information supplied by [redacted] re Macy's Dept. Store.

On 6/5/69, Detective [redacted], Special Services Division, NYCPD, advised that he had no information to the effect that the BPP at New York, when planning the bombings of department stores at NYC, were in fact using this as a diversionary tactic for the subject to leave NYC.

[redacted] stated that 21 BPP members were indicted on 4/1/69, for their bombing plans and sources of the NYCPD, who supplied necessary data for this indictment, never furnished such information as set forth previously by [redacted]

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (157-8943) (157-8948)

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RM - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

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(S) [redacted] HAS ADVISED IN COMMUNICATION CLASSIFIED "TOP SECRET" THAT [redacted] b1 b2 b6 b7C b7D

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RE: [redacted] (S)
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LEGAT, PARIS, THROUGH SOURCES CONFIRM ISSUANCE OF AN ALGERIAN VISA TO [redacted] OBTAIN DETAILS REGARDING HER TRAVEL TO ALGIERS AND, IF POSSIBLE, OTHER TRAVEL PLANS, PARTICULARLY DETAILS REGARDING HER RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES. ALSO DETERMINE TRAVEL PLANS OF [redacted] AND WHETHER OR NOT HE ACCOMPANIED [redacted] TO ALGIERS. SUBMIT RESULTS BY CABLEGRAM.

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[redacted] (S) IF INFORMATION IS DEVELOPED REGARDING TRAVEL OR WHEREABOUTS OF LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, EXPEDITIOUSLY SUBMIT SAME UNDER HIS CAPTION "LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, I. O. NUMBER FOUR TWO THREE NINE, WANTED FLIER NUMBER FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM. - BPP, UNLAWFUL FLIGHT TO AVOID CONFINEMENT - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER," TS U



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CABLEGRAM TO LEGAT, PARIS

RE: [redacted]

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NOTE TO SAC, SAN FRANCISCO:

Information copies are being furnished for your files on [redacted] (your file 157-1057), [redacted] (your file 157-872) and Leroy Eldridge Cleaver (your file 100-55520).

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[redacted] Legat, Paris, previously alerted to Bureau's interest in Leroy Eldridge Cleaver and to travel to Paris by [redacted]. Latter two are national officials of extremist BPP who left San Francisco 5/21/69 and reportedly were to return to San Francisco today (5/27/69). It appears from the above and the fact that [redacted] is [redacted] and the furniture of the Cleavers was previously shipped to Canada for overseas shipment, that [redacted] may plan to meet and live with [redacted] in Algeria or some other African country. TS U

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**To:** SAC, San Francisco (100-55520)

**From:** Director, FBI (100-447251) PERSONAL ATTENTION

**LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE**
**I.O. 4239; WANTED FLIER 447**
**RACIAL MATTERS - BLACK PANTHER PARTY,**
**UFAC - ASSAULT WITH ATTEMPT TO COMMIT MURDER**

**For your information** [redacted]

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[redacted] **No additional details known.** [redacted]

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TO DIRECTOR 100-447251, HOUSTON 157-1477 AND SAN FRANCISCO 88-12329

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ATTENTION DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

FROM NEW YORK 100-101321

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER- FUGITIVE, IO FOUR TWO THREE NINE; WF FOUR FOUR SEVEN; RADICAL MATTERS - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER (OO-SF).

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[redacted] (PROTECT), [redacted] ADVISED TODAY THAT [redacted] IS LOCATED AT [redacted] HE STATED HE DID NOT HAVE THIS INFORMATION WHEN INTERVIEWED JUNE THREE LAST.

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ADDITIONALLY [redacted] ADVISED THAT [redacted] HAS RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT [redacted] IS PRESENTLY IN MADRID, SPAIN, AND UNDECIDED AS TO WHETHER SHE SHOULD GO TO CUBA OR RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES [redacted]

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[redacted] HOUSTON INTERVIEW [redacted] AS SET FORTH IN SAN FRANCISCO TEL SIX FOUR LAST. SAN FRANCISCO CONTACT [redacted] FOR ANY FURTHER DETAILS REGARDING [redacted] LOCATION.

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cc-Mr. Sullivan

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-55520) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER,-
FUGITIVE
WF Number 447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER AND RAPE
OO: San Francisco

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Re Bureau letter to San Francisco, dated 3/20/69, which requested data regarding public appearances made by Subject and compensation received therefore.

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight (8) copies of an LHM suitable for dissemination.

Enclosed LHM contains a list of all known public appearances scheduled by the Subject for the purpose of delivering speeches and remuneration agreed to where known. The information concerning these appearances was provided by [redacted] California Department of Corrections, San Francisco, California. It includes the information concerning Subject's salary. Information concerning [redacted] was provided by [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

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3 - San Francisco
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AGENCY: ACSI, [redacted], OSI, SEC, SERV, [redacted]
DEPT: ISD, [redacted], [redacted] IDIU

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BY: ABE/ab

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San Francisco, California

May 29, 1969

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

Leroy Eldridge Cleaver is the Minister of Information of the Black Panther Party (BPP) and was nominated the Peace and Freedom Party's candidate for the Presidency of the United States in the 1968 general election. He is presently a fugitive from justice, the status resulting from his failure to surrender himself to the California Department of Corrections on November 27, 1968 after his parole was ordered revoked and this action upheld by the California Court of Appeals. Cleaver had been on parole since December of 1966 after serving almost nine years on a conviction for assault with intent to commit rape, murder and assault with a deadly weapon.

A characterization of the BPP is contained in the Appendix.

The Peace and Freedom Party was a legally constituted political party which qualified for the ballot in numerous states throughout the country during the 1968 election year.

Cleaver is also the author of "Soul on Ice", an autobiography which was on the best seller list during the latter part of 1968. As a result of widespread publicity on his book, his association with the BPP and his candidacy for the Presidency, he traveled and spoke frequently throughout the country.

The following is a list of public appearances scheduled by Cleaver throughout the United States while on parole. During the period covered he served as Minister of Information of the BPP and the Peace and Freedom Party's presidential nominee. Some appearances were made as a Peace and Freedom Party candidate, for which he probably received no compensation. Others were guest appearances for which he was compensated. Dates, places and amounts compensated are indicated where known.

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

| LOCATION | DATE | AMOUNT COMPENSATED |
|---|---|---|
| Los Angeles Trade and Technical College, Los Angeles, California | 4/21 - 23/67 | |
| California State College Hayward, California | 1/25/68 | |
| Louis Lomax T.V. Show Los Angeles, California | 2/27 - 28/68 | |
| Irv Kaupcinet Show Chicago, Illinois | 3/24 - 30/68 | |
| David Susskind Show New York City, New York | 3/24 - 30/68 | |

Cleaver was arrested on April 6, 1968 following a shoot-out with the Oakland Police Department. His parole was revoked and he was returned to prison on April 7, 1968.

On June 11, 1968, Solano County Superior Judge Raymond Sherwin ordered Cleaver released, ruling that his parole had been revoked illegally. The California Adult Authority appealed the ruling.

| LOCATION | DATE | AMOUNT COMPENSATED |
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| Regional Conference of Methodist Ministers, College of Pacific, Stockton, California | 6/14/68 | $ 500.00 |
| Xerox Corporation Rochester, New York | 7/26/68 | |
| Central Technical High School Syracuse, New York | 7/27/68 | |
| Syracuse Lincoln School Syracuse, New York | 7/27/68 | |
| San Diego State College San Diego, California | 7/29/68 | |

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

| LOCATION | DATE | AMOUNT COMPENSATED |
|---|---|---|
| University of California at Los Angeles Los Angeles, California | 8/2/68 | |
| Peace and Freedom Party Convention Elysian Park Los Angeles, California | 8/3/68 | |
| T.V. Channel 28 Panel Show Los Angeles, California | 8/13/68 | |
| Hill Auditorium Ann Arbor, Michigan | 8/15/68 | |
| Michigan State University Lansing, Michigan | 8/16/68 | |
| Christo Rey Community Center "Grape Boycott Organization" Lansing, Michigan | 8/17/68 | |
| Peace and Freedom Party Convention Ann Arbor, Michigan | 8/17 - 18/68 | |
| Peace and Freedom Party Rally Omaha, Nebraska | 8/24/68 | |
| BPP Rally Manzanita Center Marin, California | 8/22/68 | |
| Free Huey Rally DeFremery Park Oakland, California | 8/25/68 | |
| University of California Santa Barbara, California | 8/28/68 | $ 200.00 |
| Barrister's Club San Francisco, California | 9/5/68 | |
| KLAC Radio Los Angeles, California | 9/13/68 | |

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

| LOCATION | DATE | AMOUNT COMPENSATED |
|---|---|---|
| First of a lecture series, University of California Berkeley, California | 9/16/68 | $ 100.00 - total for entire series |
| Television City, ABC T.V. Los Angeles, California | 9/19/68 | |
| University of California Irvine, California | 9/26/68 | 400.00 - plus travel expenses |
| Stanford University Palo Alto, California | 10/1/68 | |
| Sacramento State College Sacramento, California | 10/2/68 | |
| Sproul Hall Steps University of California Berkeley, California | 10/3/68 | |
| University of California Los Angeles, California | 10/4/68 | |
| University of California San Diego, California | 10/4/68 | |
| Memorial Gym San Diego, California | 10/5/68 | |
| Poetry Center San Francisco State College San Francisco, California | 10/9/68 | 200.00 |
| Santa Clara University Santa Clara, California | 10/9/68 | 300.00 |
| University of Rochester Rochester, New York | 10/10/68 (?) | |
| Rensselear Polytechnic Institute Albany, New York | 10/10/68 | 500.00 and 25% of gate |

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

| LOCATION | DATE | AMOUNT COMPENSATED |
|---|---|---|
| Iona College<br>New Rochelle, New York | 10/11/68 | $1000.00 plus collection |
| Loeb Student Center<br>New York University<br>New York, New York | 10/11/68 | 500.00 |
| Free Huey Rally<br>Mount Morris<br>Harlem, New York | 10/12/68 | |
| Intermediate School<br>(IS - 258)<br>Brooklyn, New York | 10/13/68 | |
| University of Columbia<br>New York, New York | 10/13/68 | 900.00 plus expenses |
| University of California<br>Berkeley, California<br>Lecture Number 2 | 10/15/68 | |
| Manhattan Center<br>New York, New York | 10/17/68 | |
| Stoneybrook College<br>Long Island, New York | 10/17/68 | 1000.00 |
| American University<br>Washington, D.C. | 10/18/68 | |
| Howard University<br>Washington, D.C. | 10/18/68 | |
| University of California<br>Berkeley, California<br>Lecture Number 3 | 10/22/68 | |
| University of California<br>Berkeley, California<br>Lecture Number 4 | 10/29/68 | |

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

| LOCATION | DATE | AMOUNT COMPENSATED |
|---|---|---|
| BPP Rally<br>South Park<br>Los Angeles, California | 11/3/68 | |
| Taped a T.V. debate for Firing Line with William Buckley | 11/13/68 | |
| Los Angeles Trade School<br>Los Angeles, California | 11/17/68 | |

On September 27, 1968, the California State District Court of Appeals reversed the Solano County Court order of June 11, 1968 and ordered Cleaver back to prison. The order was to take effect in sixty days or on November 27, 1968. As previously indicated, he failed to turn himself in as ordered.

Cleaver was employed by "Ramparts" magazine as an Editorial Assistant upon his released from prison on December 12, 1966 at a salary of $400.00 per month. "Ramparts" is a muckraking magazine of the New Left.

As previously indicated, he was arrested on April 6, 1968 and remained in jail until June 12, 1968.

As of August 8, 1968 he was a Senior Editor at "Ramparts" at a salary of $500.00 per month. As of September 5, 1968 his salary had been raised to $650.00 per month.

By September 5, 1968, Cleaver had received two checks from his publisher as royalties on his book "Soul on Ice". These checks were for $3,000.00 and $5,000.00. There is a possibility that previous royalty payments had been made to Cleaver.

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All the foregoing information, with exception of that concerning [redacted] was provided by the first source. A second source provided the information concerning [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

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BLACK PANTHER PARTY, aka
Black Panther Party for
Self Defense

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By direction of

WARREN G. MAGNUSON

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NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P) /2P/

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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE JUNE THIRD LAST.

[redacted] ADVISES ONLY INFORMATION HE HAS RECEIVED RE CLEAVER OR [redacted] HAS COME FROM [redacted] INDICATES NO KNOWLEDGE OTHER THAN SET FORTH IN RETEL. STATES [redacted] IS [redacted] STATES [redacted] ASKED [redacted] TO [redacted]

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NEW YORK IF AVAILABLE, FURNISH HOUSTON WITH ADDRESS OR OTHER BACKGROUND INFO RE [redacted] TO ASSIST IN LOCATING HIM FOR INTERVIEW. HOUSTON ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [redacted] RE INFO HE FURNISHED THAT [redacted] WAS A MEMBER OF BLACK PANTHERS. ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

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Source mentioned in the LHM is [redacted] (S)

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IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

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DAILY SUMMARY

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[redacted] advises he is unaware of identity of [redacted] or [redacted]

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Recent attempt to interview [redacted] revealed that she is in the East and was expected to be in New York for a period of approximately 1 month beginning about 5/27-28/69.

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[redacted] advises only information he has received regarding subject's being in Havana came from [redacted]

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TO : Mr. D. J. Brennan, Jr.

DATE: June 6, 1969

FROM : S. J. Papich

CLASSIFICATION PER OGA LETTER DATED 04-04-2006

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
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Reference is made to New York teletype dated June 3, 1969.

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ACTION:

The above information is being directed to the attention of the Fugitive Section of the Special Investigative Division and to the Racial Intelligence Section.

1 - [redacted]
1 - G. C. Moore
1 - Liaison
1 - S. J. Papich

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FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (157-843)(P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO #4239
WANTED FLYER #447
RM - BPP;
UFAP - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER

(OO: SAN FRANCISCO)

Reference Seattle letter to Director February 25, 1969; New Haven letter to Director April 10, 1969.

On April 23, 1969, [redacted] Washington, confidentially furnished SA [redacted] the following data: b6 b7C b7D

Telephone number [redacted] is a telephone of the Cascade Telephone Company, Carnation, Washington, which has not been a working number since April, 1967. He ascertained that from April, 1963, to April, 1967, this number was listed to [redacted] who presently resides at [redacted] telephone number [redacted].

[redacted] advised that [redacted] Washington, is listed to [redacted] who lists her occupation as [redacted]. She has had service at this number since February 7, 1969, and lists her nearest relative as [redacted] telephone number [redacted] Washington. She gave as a reference [redacted] b6 b7C

Prior to February 7, 1969, this telephone was listed to [redacted] Washington, concerning whom [redacted] could develop no additional background information.

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Seattle Division indices reflect no reference to [redacted] or [redacted] as mentioned above. b6 b7C

On May 2, 1969, [redacted] orally advised that [redacted] University Hospital, University of Washington, Seattle, is married to [redacted] San Francisco [redacted] is a radical in San Francisco. [redacted] b2 b6 b7C b7D. When CLEAVER was in Seattle, he contacted [redacted] but there was very little information exchanged and source believes that they have separated their connections so that [redacted] will not be in possession of any knowledge of his present whereabouts. [redacted] has indicated that he believes ELDRIDGE CLEAVER is in Cuba.

The 1968 - 1969 Faculty and Staff Directory of the University of Washington lists [redacted] (phones [redacted], residence [redacted] phone [redacted]. b6 b7C

It will be noted [redacted] was contacted February 19, 1969, as set forth in referenced Seattle letter.

The following sources newly developed in the Seattle Chapter of the Black Panther Party have been contacted regarding the subject but were unable to furnish pertinent information as to subject's whereabouts:

[redacted], contacted 5/15/69; SA [redacted]

[redacted] contacted 5/23/69, SA [redacted]. b6 b7C b7D

Sources have requested that their identities be concealed.

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TO DIRECTOR, (100-447251)

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RE NEW YORK TEL TO BU AND SAN FRANCISCO, SIX THREE LAST; NEW YORK TEL TO BU, SAN FRANCISCO AND HOUSTON, JUNE FIVE, LAST.

DURING EVENING JUNE TEN, LAST, [redacted] TEXAS, FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WITH [redacted] ACTING AS INTERPRETER: [redacted]

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HE WAS BORN [redacted] AS A CUBAN REFUGEE HE DEPARTED CUBA WITH [redacted] FEB. TWELVE, LAST, ARRIVED MEXICO CITY, MEXICO THE SAME DAY; DEPARTED MEXICO CITY APRIL TWENTY, LAST AND ARRIVED HOUSTON SAME DAY.

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ON OR ABOUT FEB. TWO, LAST HE WENT TO [redacted] LOCATED ON [redacted]

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IN [redacted] AND MET A FRIEND THERE NAMED [redacted]

[redacted] WHO LIVES ON [redacted] IN TALKING WITH [redacted]

[redacted] COMMENTED CASTRO'S COMMUNISM WAS TERRIBLE AND AS AN

EXAMPLE TOLD [redacted] THAT CASTRO HAD JUST PERMITTED A

NEGRO MALE TO MOVE INTO A LUXURY APARTMENT [redacted]

BY [redacted]

[redacted] INDICATED HE HAD SEEN THE NEGRO AND SAID HE

HAD ALOT OF BUSHY HAIR, WAS A TALL MAN FROM THE U.S. AND WORE

AND EAR RING IN ONE EAR. [redacted] ALSO SAID THE NEGRO HAD REPORTEDLY

HIJACKED AN AIRPLANE IN THE U.S. AND FLOWN IT TO CUBA. [redacted]

SAID THE NEGRO BELONGED TO "BLACK POWER". [redacted] SAID IN

CUBA THE TERM "BLACK POWER" IS USED TO SIGNIFY RADICAL BLACKS

WHO SYMPATHIZE WITH THE COMMUNIST REGIME. NO COMMENT WAS

MADE THAT THE NEGRO WAS A MEMBER OF THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY. [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted] POINTED TO A VERY LUXURIOUS APARTMENT

[redacted] TOLD

[redacted] THE NEGRO WAS LIVING IN AN APARTMENT LOCATED IN THAT

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[redacted] SAID CASTRO HAS GIVEN THE NEGRO A CHAUFFEURED DRIVEN CAR AND THAT THE NEGRO WEARS THE GREEN MILITARY UNIFORM WORN ONLY BY MEMBERS OF CASTRO'S ARMY. [redacted] DID NOT INDICATE TO [redacted] SOURCE OF [redacted] INFO. [redacted] IS UNDER IMPRESSION THE NEGRO PROBABLY ARRIVED CUBA SHORTLY AFTER [redacted] HIS IMPRESSION IS BASED ON FACT THAT IN CUBA TODAY AS SOON AS ONE LEAVES THE COUNTRY THE GOVERNMENT SEALS UP HIS HOUSE AND THEN GIVES IT TO SOMEONE TO LIVE IN AS SOON AS NEED THEREFOR ARISES. [redacted] SAID THE APARTMENT POINTED OUT TO HIM BY [redacted] IS LOCATED ON [redacted] BETWEEN EITHER SEVENTEENTH AND NINETEENTH STREETS OR BETWEEN NINETEENTH AND TWENTY FIRST STREET [redacted]

AFTER ARRIVING IN MEXICO CITY, [redacted] MET [redacted] (PHONETIC) WHO HAD RECENTLY DEPARTED CUBA. [redacted] TOLD THEM HE HAD HEARD HIS APARTMENT HAD BEEN GIVEN TO A CONGOLESE MALE WHO WORE AN EAR RING. UPON HEARING THIS

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COMMENT FROM [redacted] ASKED [redacted] WHERE DID HE LIVE IN CUBA AND WHEN [redacted] SAID HE LIVED [redacted] THEN RELATED TO [redacted] THE ABOVE INFO TOLD HIM BY [redacted] BOTH [redacted] AND [redacted] THEN CONDLUDED THE MALE NEGRO WAS IN ALL PROBABILITY OCCUPYING THE [redacted] IN CUBA. [redacted] SAID HE NEVER SAW THE NEGRO AND HE AND HIS WIFE BOTH ADVISED THEY COULD FURNISH NO ADDITIONAL INFO PERTAINING TO THE NEGRO.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251)

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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
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DAILY SUMMARY

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[redacted] (protect), [redacted] advised that information received from [redacted] that [redacted] is presently in Madrid, Spain, and is undecided as to whether she should go to Cuba or return to the United States.

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[redacted] Los Angeles, Calif., reinterviewed 6/3/69. She stated no recent information regarding subject received, but that if she did receive positive information she would not reveal it to the FBI.

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[redacted] recontacted, [redacted] advised that he received information from [redacted] that [redacted] was in Madrid, Spain. He subsequently furnished this information to [redacted] who subsequently informed him that he had confirmed [redacted] being in Madrid.

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[redacted] advised that he has received information from a reliable source that [redacted] had recently arrived in Madrid, Spain, from Paris, France.

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[redacted] also stated that a reliable source has advised him that ELDRIDGE CLEAVER is in Havana, Cuba. [redacted] stated that he has received no information as to the future plans of ELDRIDGE or [redacted]

[redacted] refused to identify his source or to describe it in any way. He did state that he considers it very reliable.

[redacted] stated that he has never been a close friend of CLEAVER [redacted] prior to the time CLEAVER was supposed to turn himself in to California authorities. CLEAVER at that time told him that he would never go back to jail. [redacted] members of the Black Panther Party but has not been taken into their confidence on secret matters or matters of great importance.

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IO #4239; WF #447
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[redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on 6/9/69, that he has recently been in personal contact with [redacted]

During this contact [redacted] informed that [redacted] at Atlanta, Ga., had returned to the United States two or three weeks ago from foreign travel. [redacted] indicated that the last country that [redacted] had visited prior to returning to this country was Cuba.

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[redacted] advised that he had been informed by [redacted] that [redacted] had observed and talked with ELDRIDGE CLEAVER. [redacted] further told [redacted] that CLEAVER is presently writing a book about his experiences and activities with the Black Panther Party.

[redacted] did not relate any additional information about CLEAVER.

[redacted] did state that [redacted] [redacted] did not indicate the source of his information regarding [redacted] and made no further comment regarding her activities.

EXTREME CARE SHOULD BE USED IN ANY USE OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION IN ORDER TO PROTECT THIS VALUABLE SOURCE [redacted]

Any additional information developed will be immediately furnished.

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Washington Field (88-7106)

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From: Director, FBI (100-447251) - 649

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FUGITIVE
I.O. #4239
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RM - BPP;
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TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re San Francisco airtel 6/13/69 with lead for Washington Field to contact the U. S. Department of State.

Washington Field should not cover aforementioned lead since this information has previously been confirmed through Bureau liaison. For information San Francisco, subject's location in Havana was confirmed through [redacted] (S) b1 b7D

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Re New Orleans airtel to Bureau 6/10/69.

An article appearing in the 6/13/69 edition of the San Francisco Chronicle, San Francisco, Calif., reports that the State Department announced 6/12/69 in Washington that the assets of the subject have been frozen by the Treasury Department. According to the article, the action followed confirmation by the State Department "made from independent information" that Cleaver is, in fact, living in Havana, Cuba.

LEADS

WASHINGTON FIELD DIVISION

At Washington, D. C. - If not already done contact the State Department regarding the basis for their confirmation of the subject's being in Havana, Cuba.

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ATLANTA DIVISION

At Atlanta, Ga. - Will interview [redacted] (mentioned in reairtel), regarding [redacted] and question him as to any observations of or contact with the subject.

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DAILY SUMMARY

[redacted] who is in a position to have information relative to New York City BPP operations, has not furnished any data that would verify information supplied by [redacted] re Macy's Department Store. New York City PD sources have not furnished any information as set forth by Baltimore source. b2 b7D

In view of reports that subject is located in Havana, Cuba, [redacted] the submission of daily airtel summaries will be discontinued UACB. b1 (S)

The Bureau will be immediately advised of any pertinent information relating to subject's whereabouts.

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FROM LEGAT, OTTAWA (157-46)(P)

SUBJECT LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE;
IO 4239;WF 447
RM-BPP;UFAC-Assault with Intent to Commit Murder
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Enclosed is a single copy of the transcript of [redacted] interview with Canadian Broadcasting Corporation as carried on the TV program entitled "Take 30," on May 20, 1969. Also enclosed are two copies of a newspaper clipping regarding Subject which appeared in the 5/27/69 issue of the "Ottawa Citizen," Ottawa, Ontario.

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May 20, 1969



Mrs. CLEVER (Cathleen) We are the victims of intense violence, whether it's we the black Panther Party, we black people, we Mexican people, we Indian people, we West Indian People, or we Canadian people, because any time you live in the city that denies people decent housing, denies people of decent medical care, denies people even the right to come into the city, denies people the right to even go to a party without having a pig jump on them and beat 'em across the head and this happens in this city. It might not happen to you because you're white and you might not know about what's happening to the people that aren't white but it's happening.

Paul SOLES I think the coalition should be extended beyond the people of color to the whites as well because there are, according to statistics, 1 out of every 5 people in this country is suffering from some sort of poverty and it is time for a radical change, whether it means revolution or not.

Mrs CLEVER So when we see a ghetto in Toronto and if we see the people being treated like they're treated in the United States, we know what you decided to do. Cause you had advanced warning and you had advanced education but you would see it coming and on the question of violenc you like to turn around and say "Well, why are you so violent?" or "Why do you like violence, why do you preach violence?" I'm trying to show you that it's not us that's preachin violence, it's not us that's dealin violence, it's us that's being subject's to violence.

Adrienne CLARKSON Cathleen CLEAVER at 23 , a militant spokesman in Black America, wife of writer, Eldridge CLEAVER, today her life, ideas and work

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CLARKSON on Take 30 in 60 seconds. Violence and revolution were once words that we applied to other continents. But today in North America they are acted out in the ghettos of the poor and they even threaten university campuses. The explainations for the anger are generally the same. A dissatisfaction with the inequalities and the economic and social structure of our society. And a resulting anger directed towards those who have the political and economic power. The rage increases when the frustrated and alienated see that their demands for a share in the wealth and power are being unheeded, fulfilled to slowly and so people dream of taking power into their own hands. One such group is the Black Panther Party. This political group has moved from unorganized hostilities to calculated anger focused on specific targets. Kathleen CLEAVER is a member of this small but extremely militant organization. And it is she that you will meet today. Many of you will not like her or will find her extreme militant language disturbing even tedious. You may be offended by her assessment of society, for she uses her own brand of Marxist language. Employing whatever is useful to forward her own arguements. And she believes that every individual who does not take an active stand is implicitly supporting inequality. But Kathleen's view of our world is the view from the other side. She talks of the anger and frustration of oppressed people all over the world. She angrily examines society from the ghetto of poverty where dreadful conditions simply belie any laws that state that all men have a right to equal opportunity. Kathleen CLEAVER's husband, Eldridge CLEAVER is probably the Panthers most famous member. He grew up in a black slum in Los Angeles and by his early teens, he had begun the familiar sickening descent into

CLARKSON reform schools and the nightmare world of jails. His crimes became more and more violent, including rape and eventually he was sentenced to 13 years for assault to murder. Ironically, his fortune changed in jail. Life there was intollerable but with the encouragement of one enlightened teacher, he began to read voraciously and to harness his anger with a carefully thought-out assessment of what was wrong in the relations between black and white America. CLEAVER started to write and his passionate and sometimes poetic work was smuggled out of prison and published in Ramparts Magazine. His bitterly eloquent assessment of the black predicament, soon made him a hero of both negro and white intellectuals. His first book "Soul on Ice" was published after he left prison and was immediately hailed as one of the finest books to ever come out of Black America. Kathleen's story is different. Her parents were professors and later, American Diplomats and she grew up in the privileged environment of Embassy life in India, the Philippines and Africa. When she returned to the United States in 1961 to go to school, Dr. Martin Luther KING's work in non-violent protest was in full force.

K CLEAVER At that time I'm, mainly because, I relate to doing things, I don't moreso than thinking up ideas and plans and all that and as I became more and more and more involved and more educated in terms of exactly what was going on in the movement, say when I was 16 I was, thought that Dr. Martin Luther KING was good and what he was doing was good but that the time, that was '61 but by 1966 when I had started working with SNICK, Stokley had just made his Black Power and this was the whole thing and various statements he had made and his speeches that I had read, I agree with that so this

K CLEAVER is right, this is good.

UM-1 The only important thing that I think that students would, ought to view on this thing as part of the black community that from this day on, ~~kkix kking~~ the United States of America and white people will no longer pick our hero's, we will decide who our heros are.

K CLEAVER Myself as working with the campus program so we were in touch with students all across the country. But I think the basic contact with the Black Panthers did come from Eldridge when he got out of prison in December of 1966 and started working for Ramparts Magazine. In January, he went on a tour to interview Stokley CARMICHAEL from Chicago to Washington and he was with him for about a month. He just travelled with Stokley and then Stokley came back with the information about the Panthers and everyone at SNICK were very, very excited and impressed with this group that seemed to be more radical and more revolutionary than anything else that was happening but we didn't really have anyone on the West coast so we didn't know too much about it.

CLARKSON What was he like when you first met him?

K CLEAVER Just different to anyone else I'd ever seen. He was not remote but a very calm person. Very sober, not in a dull way, but he just seemed to be so much more settled in the tour and conscious. Most of the people that I was working with in SNICK. He was older than us and well, he just had, we sort of looked at Eldridge like a hero because he was a writer and he was an Ex-convict and he was a very fascinating person to us.

CLARKSON Why would, being an Ex-convict make him a hero to you?

K CLEAVER Well not that he was an Ex-convict, Malcolm was an Ex-convict, it's just that very few Ex-convicts ever move into the liberation

K CLEAVER struggle. This is very rare.

E CLEAVER I've never been one of those who hated being black. I've always liked myself you know. I don't really abstract mystical love for white people you know.

CLARKSON Do you think

E CLEAVER (undistinguishable) uptight and people will just take a particular quote out of my book and they'll quote that, you know and it's really very shallow the way they do that. And it bothers me that people will accept that, such as quotation and say, well, Eldridge CLEAVER loves white people and just (undistinguishable) conclusion that you know he loves white people. Well that's not the case. I judge white people by the same standards I judge black people. Like a lot of black people will say, like revolutionaries, you know, and a lot of people want to wear black berets or black leather jackets and say that they are Black Panthers you know, but they don't want to do the work, they don't want to accept the discipline that goes along with that so that I always judge people on the basis of their performance.

CLARKSON In 1966 in Oakland, California, two young black intellectuals, Huey P. NEWTON and Bobby SEALE formed the Black Panther Party. CLEAVER soon joined the party as Minister of Education. They mapped out an education plan on simple revolutionary lines. NEWTONs hope was to make the Party Platform simple and clear enough in its goals that black people would unite under the revolutionary symbol of the gun. Their desire - that the black control and determine the destiny and fulfillment of their own communities.

Huey P. NEWTON When we first organized the Black Panther Party, for self-defence, I'd say, Bobby, we gonna draw up a basic platform, just basic so the black people can read. He says we don't want to go really elaborate with all these essays and dissitations and all that stuff because the brothers gonna look at that and say "Man I don't got time for that, I gonna go see what I can do for myself". It's just a basic platform, power to determine the destiny for our black community, full employment for our people, number 3, we want housing fit, decent housing fit for the shelter of human beings, number 4, want all black men to be exempt from military service.

K CLEAVER The Black Panther Party is the same type of movement, represents the same type of forces, the same type of ideas that have sprung up in all colonial countries of a liberation movement, a liberation struggle. Some countries, they have different names. They have the Peoples Independent's Party in some countries, they have the Communist Party in some countries, they have this party in the other countries, but the people always come up with an organization based on revolutionary principles and most of these countries, based on the economic and political and social theories of Marxism and Leninism to deal with the conditions.

CLARKSON One of the conditions to be remedied was the widely acknowledged police prejudice and brutality in negro ghettos. The Panthers sensational solution was a decision to arm themselves and patrol their own ghettos against what they consider unfair police interference, advising negros being arrested of their legal rights.

E CLEAVER We have young kids who joined, but we only let them sell papers and teach them black American history and teach them something about their past and their place in the world and society. The age of 16

E CLEAVER and if the mother says it's alright, we train the young brother how to fieldstrip (ph) a weapon, teach him about the safety of weapons and how the weapon is for defence and not for attacking maliciously anyone. The nature of a Panther, he doesn't attack anyone. But when he's backed into a corner and he cann't move, those persons or person or group who are attacking them, then he comes out of that corner to wipe out that attacker, aggressor, absolutely, resolutely, wholly, thoroughly and completely.

K CLEAVER That's how the Party started to grow. First it was two, then three, then four, then five, then ten, then fifteen, then twenty, then thirty- then forty, then fifty black men patrolling the streets of Oakland, armed to the gills, tape recorders, cameras, and law books and any time they saw a pig stop a black person, they'd jump out and stand there, legal distance away and watch it. And if the pig didn't do anything against the law, they wouldn't say anything, but if the pig pulled a gun on him, and they pulled a gun on them, and police brutality went down very quickly in Oakland.

E CLEAVER Is somebody shooting at you? Is someone trying to oppress you or brutalize you? If you can look out there and you can see hungry kids in the morning, so you organize the people. You go out and like one of our programs breakfast for the children in the morning. Junior High and Grammar School, we're going to start with. Talking about a free health clinic, talking about black liberation schools that teaches us about our true nature and our black history and our youth. So you organize to alter these things so you can see when you're being attacked, when you're suffering.

UM-1 We want education, we want justice and we want peace.

CLARKSON Well, I know that one of the platforms of the Black Panthers is that all black people should be let out of prison because they have not had a fair trial. I don't know that I'm quoting that exactly, but that's one of the platforms and it's the one of which I think most people follow.

K CLEAVER The actual point in our platform is that we believe that all black people should be released from all city, county, federal, state prisons and jails because they have not had a fair trial by a jury of their peers. Also, the conditions under which black people are forced to live in this country, they have no choice in making and the court system, they have no participation in and the jury system, they have no participation in, you have the people who are victims of a society that is, in most respects, criminal in terms of the way it treats black people and the point is that black people should not be being sent to prison for robbery. They should have adequate means of supporting themselves and feeding their family so they wouldn't have to be involved in this type of thing. See, it's a very interesting, not interesting, very classic class division in terms of the prisons. In the prisons, there are only poor people, there are no rich people in prison, very few middle class, educated, white people in prison because the society has openings for them. When they commit crimes, which they do routinely, they're not convicted and if they are caught, they get good lawyers and they get nice treatment.

CLARKSON But supposing a black person does commit a crime that is, you know, say a federal crime or a state crime or whatever it may be, and does do this, whatever it is, murder or armed robbery, is it fair to say that therefore, they should just be let out of prison because

K CLEAVER Well, that's not the point, that you see we don't take that point in isolation from all the other factors of the society. The basic point of the Black Panther Party is to change the entire conditions under which black people live. We're not saying that we do not think that black people commit crimes, that's not the point. The point is the society which designates black people as criminals is in fact a far greater criminal and that the conditions of the prisons in which they keep black people and white people and all kinds of people are so atrocious that there is nothing a person can do in their lifetime that would merit this type of treatment.

CLARKSON Many blacks are horrified by the Panthers, not because of their ideals, but because their hostile, antagonistic demands may simply increase the fear, intollerance and prejudice of white America. But the estimated 2,600 Panthers and 45 chapters across America are doing more than toting guns. Members are suppose to adhere to rigid disciplines which include, compulsory community work programs such as breakfasts for school children, night dinners for families. They've established free ghetto health clinics and black banks, alcohol is forbidden during working hours and drugs are not allowed, even petty theivery is to be severely punished. All Panthers must learn to read and study revolutionary literature, including MAO's Red Book and the writings of CLEAVER and NEWTON. The essential theme of their teaching is that the ghetto is the exploited colony of racist, white America. They no longer talk about integration, they talk about justice and their right to share in the country that they helped to build. They say they are not out to destroy whites, but to change the structure of a society that allows prejudice, segregation and inequality.

K CLEAVER White persons, per say are not the people that have robbed black people. It's a system which is based on slave labor, that has robbed black people, it's essentially capitalists, and capitalism which has robbed black people.

CLARKSON Do you really think that things are better in a socialist society, which is actually working out socially (unidentifiable) Cuba or a Soviet Union?

K CLEAVER It's better for the masses of the people and any of the group will tell you that. The bourgeoise don't think it's better because they will have some of their privileges taken away but in a society like in Cuba where prior to the revolution, prior to CASTRO's taking power, the vast majority of the people were illiterate, uneducated, had no medical facilities, no jobs and no decent housing This is the situation they are moving to change, to give medical attention to everyone, to give decent food to everyone, to give education to everyone and people recognize that this is a very basic change. And you see that whole theory devide and conquor has been worked on black people to ultimate perfection to the point where black people become so divided that they can never do anything together but the whole thrust of the movement since the mid 60's has been towards unity to eliminate all theses factions, to eliminate distinctions, to come together as one people and do one thing, because that's power.

CLARKSON The Panthers and the police view one another with a paranoia that provokes hostilitys on both sides and around America, police target in on Panthers with charges ranging from jay-walking to murder. The leadership of the Panther movement is at all times threatened. In July 1967, Huey NEWTON was wounded in one of the many ghetto shoot-

CLARKSON outs and jailed for manslaughter. Bobby SEALE has been endited along with seven several white radicals on charges of conspiracy to encite riots during the Chicago Democratic Convention. CLEAVER to is a victim of hostilities. He's been a senior editor at Ramparts Magazine and a guest lecturer at the University of California. He's a hero of many of the white liberals and the radical left. He ran last fall as the Panthers and the Peace and Freedom Party's Presidential Candidate.

E CLEAVER (unidentifiable) with their fingers on nuclear triggers. What'd you come here for, to hear me curse? Actually I'm not going to curse tonight. If their whole election is irrelevant, all 3 of these pigs that we have a choice of oink (unidentifiable), oink country and oink WALLACE and after all, they call for this race of power structure that oinks about law and order to remove, to withdraw the occupying forces of the local police from the black community, from the Peurto Rican community, from every community including the white community (unidentifiable due to clapping and loud outbursts from the audience) The contradictions that we speak about is the culture of oppression and all of these things that we mention in which horrify, scatarizd (ph) high (ph) people is just the truth of the situation spoken about in public. There's an elaborate creation of myth in this country, designed to conceal what's really been going on and it had to be concealed because it does things to a persons sanity, they are constantly aware of being involved in perpetry (ph) legal (ph). My patrol officer, the authorities here in Alameter (ph) county, they weren't bothering me because I was not doing anything. I was being quiet, keeping my mouth shut and my patrol officer had order me to not make any more

E CLEAVER speeches and I wasn't doin that but Bobby was in prison serving a 6 months sentence on a framed up gun charge and Huey was arrested and there was a need for people to discuss that, so that the public would understand the political nature of the case so that I could no longer go along with my parole officer and I started making these speeches you see. Discussing Heuy's case specifically and we did very well on that and we managed to create a lot of attention on Huey's case and for this we are in their undying hatred of us.

K CLEAVER In April 6, 1968, Eldridge was in a burning house on 28th street in which the 15 50 cops were surrounding they just poured a thousand rounds of ammunition threw tear gas and finally set it on fire. Eldridge and Bobby HUTTON were the only people in this house. At 50 policemen, tear, when they set the house on fire, they decided rather come out than bunn to death, but they'd probably be killed and Bobby HUTTON was murdered. THey just fired machine guns, fired on him immediately when he came out with his hands up.

CLARKSON Bobby HUTTON was only 16 and unarmed. CLEAVER, still on parole was returned to prison for 2 months, although no charges against him were proved, but a California Superior Court judge ruled that he was being held as a political prisoner and he was released. But again the decision was reversed when 2 highter courts ruled against CLEAVER. He was asked to surrender himself as a parole violator and to serve the remainder of his 1958 sentence. Unwilling to face again the nightmare of prison and convinced that he would be killed if he returned to jail, he chose last winter to become a fugitive. No one knows where he is hiding and in the meantime Kathleen CLEAVER, is expecting his child and carries on alone. You are expecting a child now, are you worried for the childs future?

K CLEAVER Well, not his future, if he gets born, then I'll be happy. I am afraid sometimes that the type of pressures that I, we're subjected to the type of things that happen that might cause a miscarriage but I mean that's just a fact you know, worrying is not going to change it.

CLARKSON Do you see yourself as, you just are dedicating your entire life to this particular

K CLEAVER I'm not dedicating my life , my life is, my life is my work and my work is in this movement to the liberation of black people. Theres nothing highter that any person can do with their time or their skill, the move to liberate their people, or to liberate themselves.

CLARKSON What do you think is the most important thing that Eldridge CLEAVER most important, either attitude or feeling or purpose that he has given you?

K CLEAVER That's very hard to say, I mean when you, when you're whole life is very much involved with another person united to the purpose of creating revolution, in this country to eliminating these conditions and working in the black liberation struggle which I was doing and Eldridge was doing before we met each other and we continue to do that together, that's hard to say. It's just that Eldridge and I found ourselves in absolutely complete and perfdct and total communication with each other and that's rare indeed. And find that communication and then love, personal harmony, well that's all almost unheard of. Especially under these conditions though. Lets say the best thing is that Eldridge and I found out that we're not alone in this world. commercial. If you chose to seperate yourself away from the human race seperate yourself away into something

K CLEAVER different, act like we don't exist, act like these problems aren't real. That's your decision and it will be your problem and I hope it will be your regret, because oppressed people around the face of the earth, whether they are Africans or West Indians or Americans or American Indians or Vietnamese, they all seem to manage to end up doing the same thing in the same way for the same reason. We have to begin to recognize that and move on that and deal on that for the world is one world. The people happen to be one people whether they like it or not. And you can deal with that, you can deal with reality and that's being an accomplishment. Thank you.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

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During next contact with [redacted] the Legat, Ottawa, may point out that [redacted]

Information copy to Buffalo because of past and possible future investigation in this matter.

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# Memorandum

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: June 12, 1969

FROM : D. J. Brennan, Jr.

CLASSIFICATION PER GSA LETTER
DATED 04-04-2006

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
FUGITIVE
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RACIAL MATTER - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER

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For information.

1 - C. D. DeLoach
1 - W. C. Sullivan
1 - [redacted]
1 - G. C. Moore
1 - Liaison
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[redacted]
New York, New York 10003

Dear [redacted]

In response to your request of June 9th for a wanted flyer of Leroy Eldridge Cleaver, these are furnished primarily to law enforcement agencies and specific areas where the most productive coverage can be obtained. I regret it will not be possible to send one to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent. It has been Bureau policy not to furnish wanted flyers to individual citizens. Note also correspondent wishes to include this in a book to be published next year.

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[redacted]
New York, New York 10003
June 9, 1969

Crime Record Division
The Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sirs:

I am a collector of posters and various miscelaneous ojbects of social significance. Presently I am puting a collection together for a book to be published by Grossman P ublishers hopefully sometime next year.

I am very interested in obtaining the F.B.I. wanted circulat on Eldridge Cleaver. I have called your office in New York, and they said that these are generally unavailable to the public, but that you might be able to help me since I desire it for professional purposes.

I will very much appreciate your cooperation in sending one copy of the circular.

With thanks for your anticipated cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

[redacted]

TC:s

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To: SAC, San Francisco (100-55520)

From: Director, FBI (100-447251)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
FUGITIVE
I.O. #4239
W.F. #447
RM - BPP
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On receipt of this communication San Francisco should discontinue the submission of daily summaries in captioned matter.

Bureau should, of course, be kept advised of all pertinent developments in this case.

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Via AIRTEL (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161321) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SAN FRANCISCO)

ReLAairtel, 6/3/69.

On 6/10/69, [redacted] (Protect) advised that telephone number [redacted] is actually an extension of the number [redacted] which is listed to [redacted] New York, New York. ([redacted] is the married name of [redacted]).

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On 6/11/69, [redacted] was contacted at 9:10 AM and she, at that time, advised that she was unavailable for interview but would recontact the NYO later in the day.

On 6/11/69, at 2:50 PM, [redacted] telephonically contacted SA [redacted] and stated that she had a very busy schedule and desired to get this matter cleared up as soon as possible. She inquired as to the matter of the inquiry of the FBI and after being informed of the purpose of the proposed interview, she advised as follows:

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She does not know ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, although she has met [redacted] on occasion, and she has no knowledge of the present or past whereabouts of subject.

She never pledged to furnish $5,000 or any amount of money for the bond forfeiture of subject and if her name has so been used, she has no idea who authorized use of her name. She

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has given no person permission to use her name and she most certainly has not pledged any money relative to the subject's bond.

[redacted] was advised of the Fugitive status of the subject and she stated that she understood the FBI's role in the matter, and if she was aware of the subject's whereabouts, she would be willing to so advise. However, she feels certain CLEAVER and his associates were not about to inform her of his whereabouts.

She additionally stated that she was only acquainted with CLEAVER through his writings and she recently noted a newspaper account that CLEAVER was in Cuba, but she could not confirm or deny such a report.

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (88-15657) (P)

RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO 4239
WF 447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO
COMMIT MURDER
OO: San Francisco

Re my airtel dated 4/13/69, and New York airtel dated 5/21/69.

On 6/6/69, [redacted] (established source) [redacted] Los Angeles, California, advised the motion picture film "Quemado", is an Italian film being produced by ALBERTO GRIMALDI, an Italian producer for UA Release. The film has been shooting on location in Colombia, South America.

On 6/6/69, [redacted] (protect), [redacted] advised that "Quemado" had been delayed on several occasions [redacted]. Filming was scheduled to start on October 28, 1968, but was delayed and started on 11/4/68.

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[redacted] (protect), [redacted] advised on 6/19/69, that he had observed [redacted], and that it made no reference to subject. [redacted] or [redacted]

[redacted] added that he had received no additional information regarding subject. Should any additional information be received, [redacted] said he would immediately advise the FBI.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (88-12329) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE
IO #4239; WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
(OO: SF)

Re Bureau airtel to San Francisco 6/16/69.

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Bureau has advised that subject's location in Havana, Cuba, has been confirmed through [redacted] b1 b7D

For the present, the I.O. and W.F. will remain outstanding. However, all offices should discontinue leads to locate subject. It is requested that the Bureau advise appropriate Legats.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 6/18/69

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (157-843)(P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE
IO #4239
WANTED FLYER #447
RM - BPP;
UFAP - ASSAULT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re Seattle letter to Director, 2/25/69; New Haven letter to Director, 4/10/69; and, San Francisco letter to Chicago, 5/20/69.

Attached to this letter for San Francisco is one copy each of characterization for the Seattle Branch, Socialist Workers Party and the Peace and Freedom Party of Washington. b6 b7C

On June 12, 1969, it was determined through directory assistance, Northwest Bell Telephone System, Seattle, Washington, that the telephone No. area code [redacted] was registered to [redacted], Seattle, Washington.

In June, 1959, [redacted] who is not available for recontact advised that [redacted] was present at a Communist Party meeting held at 1706 Market Street, Seattle, Washington, during that month. Source advised in September, 1949, that [redacted] was [redacted] Committee for Protection of the Foreign Born, which is affiliated with the American Committee for Protection of the Foreign Born and that he attended meetings of the Northwest Committee for the Protection of the Foreign Born during the period between July 7, 1949, and March 7, 1957. b2 b6 b7C b7D

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The American Committee for Protection of the Foreign Born is designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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On October 19, 1960, KENNETH N. GILBERT, Deputy Secretary of State, State of Washington, Capitol Building, Olympia, Washington, furnished a copy of public documents filed with this office in connection with the Nominating Convention of the Socialist Workers Party (SWP). Included in the documents was a certificate of nomination, which read as follows:

> "All the undersigned, having attended in person the Nominating Convention of the Socialist Workers Party held on the 13th day of September, 1960 at 1412 18th Avenue, Seattle, Wash. have affixed their signature and voting address to this certificate of nomination of the Socialist Workers Party, pursuant to the provisions of Section 29.24, Revised Code of Washington."

The name of [redacted] at the address of [redacted] [redacted] Seattle, Washington, appeared on this document.

The Seattle Branch, SWP, is characterized in the appendix of this report.

On January 10, 1969, A. LUDLOW KRAMER, Secretary of State, State of Washington, Olympia, Washington, furnished a copy of the "Registered Voters Declarations" for the files of this office pertaining to the attendance of [redacted] at the Nomination Convention of the Peace and Freedom Party (PFP of Washington held in Seattle on November 20, 1968. These documents are signed by [redacted] with their address shown as [redacted] Seattle, Washington. In signing these documents, they indicated that they were registered voters in the state of Washington and that they did not vote on September 20, 1966 on a State primary election ballot and that these declarations are to be construed as part of the certificate of nomination for the Peace and Freedom Party.

The Peace and Freedom Party of Washington is characterized in the appendix of this report.

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In view of the above, no interview is being conducted with [redacted]

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 6/27/69

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (157-2679) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
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IO # 4239
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Re Buairtel 4/25/69.

Pursuant to instructions contained in re Buairtel, a thorough file review has been conducted at Newark concerning this matter. At the present time, there is no information available at Newark which is of lead value.

During the months of May and June, 1969, the following racial informants who are familiar with activities of the Black Panther Party (BPP) advised that they have no information concerning the activities of subject CLEAVER:

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Regular liaison has been maintained with intelligence units of Newark, NJPD and on 6/17/69, Det. [redacted] advised his sources who are familiar with activities of the BPP, have advised him they have no information to indicate that the subject has been in the Newark area or contemplates seeking refuge in the Newark area.

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Newark is continuing to afford this case investigation on a continuous basis pursuant to instructions in re Buairtel.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

DATE: 6/25/69

FROM : LEGAT, MEXICO CITY (100-3184)(RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
FUGITIVE
IO #4239, WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER

Re Bureau radiogram 4/10/69, and Mexico City airtel and LHM, 4/24/69 captioned [redacted] SM - C; RM," "BLACK PANTER PARTY (BPP), RM," and "LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER - FUGITIVE, I.O. #4239, W.F. #447."

Since referenced communications, no pertinent information regarding subject has been developed by this office. This office remains alert through contacts with logical established sources for any significant information concerning subject, which will be promptly reported to the Bureau as it comes to the attention of this office.

In the meantime, no additional action is contemplated and this case is being placed in an RUC status.

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EROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka -
UGITIVE,
IO #4239, WF #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER

(OO San Francisco)

Re Memphis letter to San Francisco dated 3/25/69.

During May and June, 1969, informants familiar with racial activities within the Memphis Division were contacted re captioned subject with negative results. No information has been received concerning the whereabouts of captioned subject.

In view of subject's apparent residence in Cuba, no further investigation is being conducted in this matter by the Memphis Division. All confidential sources and informants within the Memphis Division who report on racial activities have been advised to immediately notify FBI Memphis in the event information is received indicating subject has returned to the United States.

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To: SAC, San Francisco

From: Director, FBI (100-447251)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
FUGITIVE
I.O. #4239
W.F. #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER; THREAT
AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES.

Legat, Rome advises Navy Intelligence source in Naples received information that Melvin Belli, well-known criminal attorney of San Francisco, California, is alleged to be in possession of $500,000 which he plans to take to subject Cleaver in Algeria.

According to the source, Belli has indicated this money was given to him by various news media, including $100,000 from Life Magazine for an exclusive interview with Cleaver.

San Francisco promptly advise the United States Attorney of this information and should any developments come to the attention of the San Francisco Office to either confirm or disprove this statement, the Bureau should be promptly advised.

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Dear [redacted]

Your letter of January 6th has been received and although the publication you indicated you were sending has not arrived, I can understand the concern which prompted you to write. I assure you we will endeavor to discharge our responsibilities in the internal security field with the highest degree of thoroughness and dispatch and I am enclosing some material concerning our work which you may not have had an opportunity to read.

In reply to your inquiry, treason is the only crime which is defined in the Constitution of the United States. Article III, Section 3, of the Constitution states: "Treason against the United States shall consist only in levying war against them, or in adhering to their enemies, giving them aid and comfort." The Constitution further indicates that no person shall be convicted of treason unless on the testimony of two witnesses to the same overt act, or on confession in open court.

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Treason is defined in Title 18, Section 2381, of the United States Code as "Whoever, owing allegiance to the United States, levies war against them or adheres to their enemies, giving them aid and comfort within the United States or elsewhere, is guilty of treason and shall suffer death, or shall be imprisoned not less than five years and fined not less than $10,000; and shall be incapable of holding any office under the United States."

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - Chicago - Enclosure

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Director's testimony re communist, racial and extremist groups, 4-17-69

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January 6, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Hoover:

By the grace of a merciful God I am an American, a priceless privilege for which I thank Him with every breath I draw. Through the years brave, beloved, unselfish men have given their lives, lain with maimed, broken bodies to protect and preserve my priceless heritage.

Because I, too, would not hesitate to give my life for my country, I am asking you in deepest sincerity - what is treason? Yes - my age is showing; when I went to school, advocating overthrow of government constituted treason.

Has this changed? Can a man stand in the streets of my beloved country after having set a city afire, holler "burn, baby, burn", yet deserve the same blessed protection of my country's flag as I? Can men proclaim "hell, no, we won't go" and merit the heritage bought with blood, sweat, and tears of those who gave? Can strategic materiels of war be shipped to countries with which my nation is at war - declared or undeclared - to kill and maim my country's sons, yet suppliers be recognized as "allies?" Can blood be donated for my country's mortal enemies - blood which will, perhaps, enable the receipient to return to battle to kill or disable my country's sons, the donor given forum to gloat his dead?

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Under separate cover I am requesting a publication be sent to you containing excerpts from a speech by Eldridge Cleaver, Minister of Information, Black Panthers. I care not his color, I care not were he my blood brother, I ask you only - does he deserve to breathe the same blessed air of freedom as these brave, unselfish Yankees; I ask you - does he deserve the protective shield my beloved flag provides; I ask you - is he worthy of the priceless privilege of calling himself an American?

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My Hoover - in my capacity as a humble American, and in honest sincerity, I ask you - what is treason?

With deep respect,

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cc: President Nixon
Cong. Harold C. Collier
Gerald L. K. Smith, Publisher
THE CROSS AND THE FLAG
Sen. James Eastland
Gov. George C. Wallace
Sen. Charles Percy
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-4324)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
RM - BPP

Enclosed are eleven (11) copies of an LHM for the Bureau suitable for dissemination. Two (2) copies of LHM are enclosed for New York.

SF T-1 is [redacted]

Unless New York has information indicating that such should not be done, the information contained in LHM concerning prosecution of the New York 21 should be appropriately disseminated locally.

San Francisco will follow closely, through appropriate sources, any efforts to return ELDRIDGE CLEAVER to the U. S. either legally or illegally, and will keep the Bureau and appropriate Offices advised.

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The LHM is classified "~~confidential~~" to protect SF T-1.

THE SUBJECT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

2 - Bureau (Encs. 11)
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Information concerning CLEAVER's possible return to the United States has been furnished orally to appropriate California authorities.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

*In Reply, Please Refer to File No.*

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San Francisco, California
January 7, 1970

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

LeRoy Eldridge Cleaver, Minister of Information of the Black Panther Party (BPP), is presently a fugitive from the State of California as a Parole Violator. Cleaver is presently residing in Algiers, Algeria.

A characterization of the BPP is attached.

SF T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on January 5, 1970, that the defense attorneys for the so-called New York 21, a group of 21 Black Panthers who are presently the subject of prosecutive action by the State of New York on various charges, and who have received wide publicity as the New York 21, have indicated they believe that a large portion of the evidence to be used by the prosecuting attorneys against the New York 21 will be built around statements and writings by Eldridge Cleaver. The defense attorneys feel that Cleaver should appear in defense of the New York 21 because he is the only person who can fully explain the meaning of his statements and his writing. Source stated it is anticipated that this trial will begin on February 2, 1970; and Eldridge Cleaver has already indicated he would be willing to return to the United States to testify in behalf of the New York 21.

Source said it has not been clearly indicated to him, as yet, if this is speculation or if it is the intention of the defense attorneys to return Cleaver to the United States to testify either by subpoena or otherwise.

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

Source also reported that Eldridge Cleaver anticipates publishing a magazine in Algiers, Algeria, which will be known as RIGHT ON. Cleaver has indicated he is presently putting together the first issue of this magazine in Algiers, and it will consist primarily of black revolutionary writings. Source was unable to obtain any further details concerning this proposed magazine, and apparently a publication date for the first issue has not been set as yet.

BLACK PANTHER PARTY, aka
Black Panther Party for
Self Defense

According to its official newspaper, the Black Panther Party (BPP) was started during December, 1966, in Oakland, California, to organize black people so they can take control of the life, politics, and the destiny of the black community. It was organized by Bobby George Seale, BPP Chairman, and Huey P. Newton, BPP Minister of Defense. Newton is presently serving a sentence of 2 to 15 years on a conviction of manslaughter in connection with the killing of an Oakland police officer.

The official newspaper, "The Black Panther," which further describes itself as the "Black Community News Service," states that the BPP advocates the use of guns and guerrilla tactics in its revolutionary program to end oppression of the black people. Residents of the black community are urged to arm themselves against the police who are consistently referred to in the publication as "pigs" who should be killed.

"The Black Panther" issue of September 7, 1968, contains an editorial by BPP Minister of Education, George Mason Murray, which ends with the following:

"Black men. Black people, colored persons of America, revolt everywhere! Arm yourselves. The only culture worth keeping is a revolutionary culture. Change. Freedom everywhere. Dynamite! Black Power. Use the gun. Kill the pigs everywhere."

Included in the introduction to an article appearing in the October 5, 1968, edition of "The Black Panther" is the statement, "...we will not dissent from American Government. We will overthrow it."

Issues of "The Black Panther" regularly contain quotations from the writings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung of the People's Republic of China and feature MAO's statement that "political power grows out of the barrel of a gun."

The national headquarters of the BPP is located at 3106 Shattuck Avenue, Berkeley, California. Branches have been established at various locations throughout the United States.

1 - Foreign Liaison

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CABLEGRAM URGENT

Attached & forwarded. Cleared per Flemister

TO LEGAT ROME

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (100-447251)

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE, I.O. # FOUR TWO THREE NINE, W.F. # FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM-BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER; THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

RE LEGAT ROME CABLE JANUARY THIRTEEN LAST CONCERNING ALLEGED INTENTION OF ATTORNEY MELVIN BELLI TO PROVIDE CLEAVER WITH FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

LEGAT INSURE ANY FURTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE CONCERNING THIS SUBJECT MATTER IS FURNISHED PROMPTLY TO BUREAU.

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TO DIRECTOR AND NEW YORK

NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-4324) (88-12329)

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE, I.O. FOUR TWO THREE NINE, RACIAL MATTERS W.F. FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM-BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER; THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. UNLAWFUL FLIGHT TO AVOID CONFINEMENT

DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY VICTOR WOERHEIDE, TODAY, RECEIVED BY PHONE, DEPARTMENTAL AUTHORITY TO SEEK INDICTMENT OF SUBJECT ON BASIS OF HIS STATEMENTS OVER CBS TELEVISION SHOW "SIXTY MINUTES", MODERATED BY HARRY REASONER AND MIKE WALLACE, TUESDAY, JANUARY SIX, NINETEEN SEVENTY. INDICTMENT WILL BE SOUGHT UNDER SECTION EIGHT SEVEN ONE, TITLE EIGHTEEN-THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT.

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SECRET SERVICE, SAN FRANCISCO, IS IN TOUCH WITH THEIR WASHINGTON HEADQUARTERS REGARDING THIS VIOLATION AND IS ASKING SECRET SERVICE NEW YORK TO OBTAIN VIDEO TAPE USED AND NOT USED IN CONNECTION WITH THIS SHOW.

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CC- MR. SULLIVAN + Mr Gale + Mr Rosen

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Assistant Attorney General
Internal Security Division

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Director, FBI

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LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
UNLAWFUL FLIGHT TO AVOID CONFINEMENT -
ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER;
RACIAL MATTER - BLACK PANTHER PARTY

Information has been received from a United States Navy Intelligence source in Naples, Italy, to the effect that Melvin Belli, well-known attorney of San Francisco, California, has alleged he is in possession of $500,000 which he plans to take to Leroy Eldridge Cleaver in Algeria.

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According to the source of this information, Melvin Belli has indicated this money has been given to him by various news media, including $100,000 from Life Magazine for an exclusive interview with Cleaver.

The United States Attorney, San Francisco, California, has also been furnished this information and should any further developments occur to confirm this information, you will be further advised.

1 - Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

NOTE: The Department has been furnished complete background concerning Cleaver.

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January 13, 1970

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached teletype reports information received by Legal Attache, Rome, from Naval Intelligence in Rome, Italy, indicating well-known criminal attorney Melvin Belli alleged to be in possession of $500,000 which he intends to give to Leroy Eldridge Cleaver, Minister of Information, Black Panther Party and Identification Order fugitive.

Money alleged to be in possession of Belli according to source was given to Belli by various news media including $100,000 from Life Magazine for exclusive interview with Cleaver.

It is recommended the Department and U. S. Attorney, San Francisco, be furnished foregoing information. Our San Francisco office, in being furnished this information, is being instructed to keep the Bureau advised of developments. Legat, Rome, will also keep Bureau advised of any additional information.

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FUGITIVE

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE SOURCE IN NAPLES ADVISED THAT MELVIN BELLI, NOTED ATTORNEY, ALLEGED HE WAS IN POSSESSION OF FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS WHICH HE PLANNED TO TAKE TO CLEAVER IN ALGERIA. SOURCE SAID BELLI EXPLAINED MONEY GIVEN HIM BY VARIOUS NEWS MEDIA INCLUDING ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM LIFE MAGAZINE FOR EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW WITH CLEAVER. BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED OF ADDITIONAL INFO WHICH MIGHT BE RECEIVED FROM NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.

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Letter to AAG, Int Sec Div 1-16 70, JRF:sgm:sgp

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM LEGAT PARIS NO. 9

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, AKA, FUGITIVE, RM - BPP.

[redacted] TODAY [redacted]

[redacted] ARRIVED PARIS JANUARY ONE EIGHT LAST FROM ALGIERS. REPORTEDLY PLANS TO STAY IN PARIS SEVERAL DAYS AND THEN PROCEED TO NEW YORK. WILL FOLLOW CLOSELY AND ADVISE.

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3RD CC: MR. BRENNAN

cc - Mr Rainer

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TO DIRECTOR (100-447251)

FROM LEGAT ROME NO.004

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, FUGITIVE.

REBUCAB JANUARY ONE FIVE LAST.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE SOURCE IN NAPLES DEVELOPED ADDITIONAL INFO THAT BELLI INDICATED MONEY FURNISHED BY PUBLISHER MC GRAW HILL. BELLI ALSO INDICATED AT LATER DATE THAT TRANSACTION WAS CANCELLED AS CLEAVER REPORTEDLY SOLD RIGHTS FOR EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW TO ANOTHER UNIDENTIFIED PARTY. SOURCE ADVISED BELLI DEPARTED NAPLES JANUARY NINE LAST AND INDICATED GOING TO ALGIERS TO MEET CLEAVER. SOURCE ALSO REPORTED BELLI RECEIVED TELEGRAM JANUARY EIGHT OR NINE FROM [redacted] IN CASABLANCA IN WHICH [redacted] SAID HE WOULD MEET BELLI IN CASABLANCA FOR UNSPECIFIED PURPOSES. FURTHER INTERVIEW OF SOURCE UNPRODUCTIVE.

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CC: FUG. SUPVR.

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Dear [redacted]:

In answer to your communication of January 20th, material relating to fugitives currently being sought by this Bureau is sent only to law enforcement agencies and specific areas in which the most productive coverage can be obtained. I regret we are unable to grant your request.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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Gentlemen:

I am an artist and orginator of photographic studies of the American Scene. I wonder if it would be legal and possible for you to send me 5 to 10 copies of the "Eldridge Cleaver" Wanted Poster (Flyer). They are for art purposes ONLY, neither for or against Cleaver or the FBI and will not be resold. If there is any charge, I will remit same promptly.

Thank you,

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ADDRESS ON
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from: [redacted]

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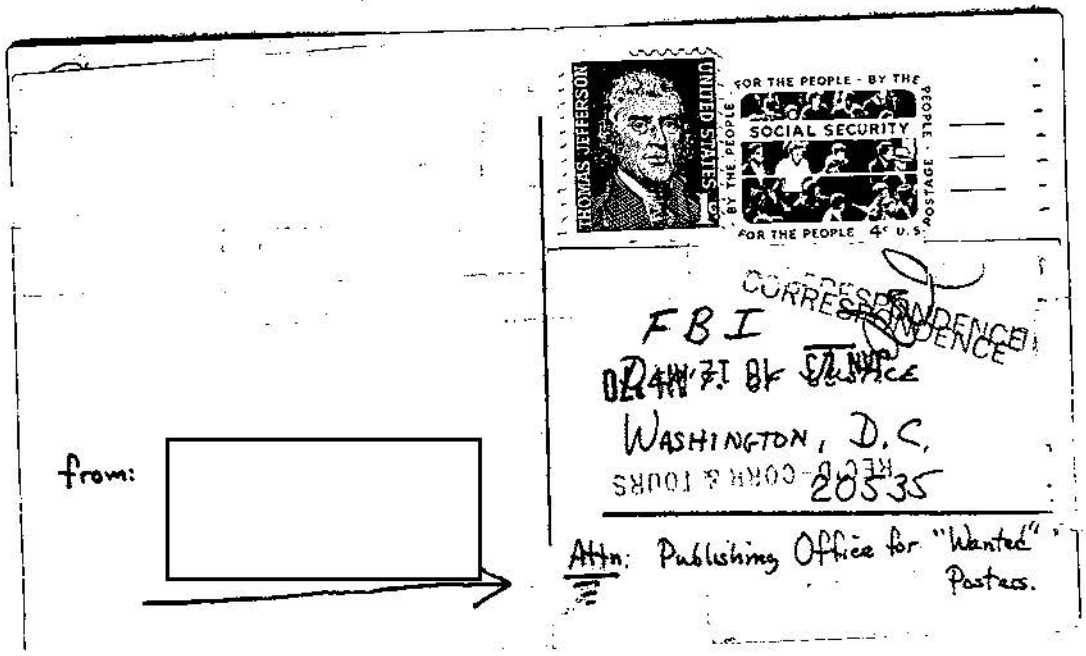


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430PM URGENT 1-9-70 CLP

TO DIRECTOR

NEW YORK --VIA WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON FIELD --VIA WASHINGTON--

LOS ANGELES

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-1969) (157-4324) (88-12329) 1P

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BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)- RM. TRAVEL OF LEADERSHIP.

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUGITIVE, I.D. FOUR TWO THREE NINE; W.F. FOUR FOUR SEVEN, RM- BPP; UFAC-ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER: THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

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ADVISED THIS DATE, THAT BPP HEADQUATERS, BERKELEY, HAVE INFORMED PRESS THAT [redacted] ARE RETURNING TO U.S. FROM ALGERIA NEXT FEW DAYS, ACCOMPANIED BY [redacted] WILL VISIT HER FAMILY IN WASHINGTON D.C., AND ELDRIDGE CLEAVER WILL BE RETURNING TO THIS COUNTRY IN NEAR FUTURE.

NEW YORK AND LOS ANGELES ALERT U. S. CUSTOMS.

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CC: MR. GALE
MR. SULLIVAN
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FROM NEW YORK 100-161993

Black Nationalist Party - Racial Matters (1) Fugitive
BPP-RM TRAVEL OF LEADERSHIP LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER-FUG,
Identification Order Racial Matter - Black Panther
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San Francisco Teletype
RE SF TEL ONE TEN INSTANT [redacted]

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Bureau John F. Kennedy
BU AGENTS AT ARRIVAL JFK SEVEN THIRTY PM INSTANT ON AIR FRANCE

FLIGHT FROM PARIS.

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AM JANUARY ELEVENTH. ABOVE INDIVIDUALS WERE ALONE AT JFK

AND WERE NOT MEET BY ~~BPP~~ Black Panther Party MEMBERS NYC.

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US CUSTOMS INSPECTION OF LUGGAGE

OF [redacted] MADE AND NOTHING PERTINENT DISCOVERED RE ~~BPP~~ Black Panther Party

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

DATE: 1/29/70

FROM : SAC, WFO (157-2026)(RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER; aka
FUGITIVE
IO # 4239
WANTED FLIER # 447
RM-BPP
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
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Confidential Racial Sources of the Washington Field Office who are familiar with certain aspects of black extremist activity in the Washington, D.C. (WDC) area have been advised to be alert for information concerning the possible clandestine return of captioned subject to the United States. They have also been alerted to the necessity of securing information pertaining to the possible escape route used by Cleaver or other Black Panther Party members.

Officials of the Passport Office, U.S. Deaprtment of State have advised that there has been no attempt on the part of the subject or his companions to secure valid passports since 11/27/69, when subject and three companions appeared at the American Embassy in Algeria and filled out passport applications. Liaison is being maintained with passport officials in this regard.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: LEGAT, OTTAWA (157-46) (P)

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aka - FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT
WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT
OF THE UNITED STATES
OO SAN FRANCISCO

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DATE: 1/23/70

FROM SAC, HONOLULU (88-1925) (RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka
FUGITIVE
IO #4239
WANTED FLIER #447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

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ReBuairtel to Albany 1/13/70.

The following confidential informants of the Honolulu Office have been alerted on the dates indicated for the need to concentrate on securing information pertaining to the possible escape route used by CLEAVER or other Black Panther Party members. All sources have advised they possess no information in this respect, but they would remain alert and would immediately advise this office in the eveny any pertinent information should come to their attention:

[redacted] 1/19/70
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On 1/21/70 [redacted] Customs Agent in Charge, U.S. Treasury Department, Honolulu, Hawaii, was alerted as to CLEAVER's potential return to the U.S. [redacted] advised that he would alert all Customs Agents as to the possible reentry into the U.S. by CLEAVER. A stop was placed with the U.S. Customs on 1/21/70.

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2 - Bureau (RAM)
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On 1/21/70 [redacted] U.S. INS, Honolulu, advised there is a stop currently outstanding with INS which had been placed by the Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. [redacted] advised that he would again alert all Immigration Agents as to the possible reentry into the U.S. of CLEAVER.

The following additional sources were alerted as to CLEAVER's potential return to the U.S. and all advised that they would immediately contact the Honolulu Office if any information pertaining to CLEAVER's return should come to their attention:

[redacted]
710th MID, U.S. Army
Honolulu, Hawaii

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[redacted]
Naval Investigative Service Office
Honolulu, Hawaii

[redacted]
Investigator
Attorney General's Office
Honolulu, Hawaii

[redacted]
OSI
Hickam Air Force Base
Hawaii

[redacted]
Honolulu Police Department
Honolulu, Hawaii

An FD-56 (stop notice) containing data concerning the stop placed with U.S. Customs, Honolulu, is being forwarded to San Francisco as an enclosure to this communication.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-2323) (RUC)

RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
RM - BPP

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Enclosed for the Bureau are [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted] who is currently [redacted] had not previously mentioned [redacted] but during a bull-session [redacted] stated that [redacted] had stated that no one in San Francisco even cared [redacted] Informant was able to [redacted].

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It is believed [redacted] traveled to Algeria during [redacted]

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Caution should be exercised in [redacted] in that they can only be traced to [redacted] or informant.

[redacted] furnished to the Bureau for their information.

2 - Bureau (Encl 14) (AM-RM) REC-95 100-447251-754
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To go with LA airtel dated 1/27/70

RE: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER
RM - BPP

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, EL PASO (100-6098) (RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, Aka. - Foc in Algiers
FUGITIVE
IO #4239
WF #447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

OO: SF

ReBuairtel to AL, 1/13/70.

Enclosed for the San Francisco Office are three stop cards.

Appropriate stops were placed against subject on 1/19/70 with [redacted] USINS Supervisor, Santa Fe Bridge, El Paso, Texas. Through [redacted] office, stops were appropriately placed at border crossing points in the El Paso Division.

[redacted]

El Paso Police Department, was alerted to the possibility of subject's returning to the United States. [redacted] advised on 1/15/70 that his department would be alert to any information concerning subject's movements through this area.

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2-San Francisco (100-55520) (Encls-1) (RAM)
1-El Paso

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Agents handling racial informants and sources in the El Paso Office have alerted these informants and sources concerning the possibility of subject's return to the United States, and to develop information pertaining to any underground escape route possibly utilized by Black Panther Party members. To date no such information has been received.

A stop against the subject has also been placed 1/29/70 with U.S. Customs Service, through Mr. Arthur Adams, Assistant Special Agent in Charge of that agency. Mr. Adams stated that all customs agents under his jurisdiction would be alerted to notify the El Paso office immediately upon receipt of information concerning subject's movements or attempted re-entry into the United States.

Mr. Adams further stated that subject's status as a fugitive wanted by the FBI would also be posted through his office with U.S. Public Health and U.S. Office of Agriculture at the border crossing.

A stop against the subject was also placed 1/29/70 with U.S. Border Patrol through Robert E. Gardner, Deputy Chief of that agency, Montana Street, El Paso, Texas.. Mr. Gardner stated that all Border Patrol stations in his Division would be alerted concerning the subject.

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January 27, 1970

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Honorable Bob Wilson
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

My dear Congressman:

I have received your communication of January 22nd enclosing the copy of a letter from [redacted] of San Diego, California.

The interest which prompted you to furnish me the views of [redacted] is indeed appreciated and I can assure her the FBI is well aware of Cleaver's whereabouts. Our assistance in effecting his apprehension under the Fugitive Felon Act has been requested and he will be arrested upon his return to the United States.

In accordance with your request, I am returning the enclosure you furnished.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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1 - San Diego - Enclosures (2)

NOTE: We have had cordial relations with Congressman Wilson. Our files contain no identifiable information with [redacted] Eldridge Cleaver is well-known to the Bureau.

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Mr. Walters
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Bishop
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. Felt
Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Sayers
Tele. Room
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

**Congress of the United States**

**House of Representatives**

**Washington, D.C.**

January 22, 1970

Congressional Liaison
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

The attached communication is sent for your consideration. Please investigate the statements contained therein and forward me the necessary information for reply, returning the enclosed correspondence with your answer.

Yours truly,

BOB WILSON, M. C.
36th District, California

Re: [redacted]

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Leroy Eldridge Cleaver

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San Diego Calif
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Lionel Van Deerlin:
House of Representatives
Washington D.C.

Dear Mr Van Deerlin:

I am always leary of writing to any one in Washington for the simple reason, we don't seem to be important, except at election time:

My reason for writing is due to an article in the San Diego Union about the return of Eldridge Cleaver's wife returning to America and canceling her flight in Paris at the last moment.

I am pretty sure the F.B.I. is on its toes about the real plans of the Cleavers.

The couple who arrived - ahead of Mrs Cleaver and son - did so - as part of a plan - to throw police off their guards.

Mrs Cleaver merely went through the motions of buying a ticket to New York. That was only part of their plan. She had no intention of flying home. At least not on any announced flight.

Mr & Mrs Cleaver are going to arrive in the United States (if they haven't already) on a - pre conceived date, in the middle of a dark night smuggled in from Cuba.

Eldridge Cleaver skipped out, no one knows how.

He will be coming in the same way he went out.

The only difference his wife will be with him: The baby? Well, thats the least of their - problems. No one has seen the baby. He can come in on a regular flight with a nurse - claiming him to be her son: She will stay put until she hears from them.

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Remember the plane that flew into Florida, and stopped next to Nixon's plane? Well, the pilot was by no means running away from Castro it was a put up job - to prove they could get into the United States and avoid Radar detection.

Knowing they can do this - the Cleavers can be dropped from a low flying plane like a helicopter lowers men into the water.

A craft can be waiting for them somewhere - undetected by the coast guard.

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Any day now I am expecting to hear - that the power has gone off some where along the coast.

These black outs are not accidents. They are trial runs by those people who plan to do harm to the U.S. Gov't.

Who am I to say what the U.S. Gov't should do. I only live here. Any way - I just thought - I'd let you know what I felt they would be doing. (You can't believe everything you read in the papers).

The Cleavers & the U.S. are playing cat and mouse. The thing is, 'who is the cat" & "who is the mouse." Carry on with your work.

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San Diego, Calif.

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Rep Bob Wilson

San Diego Calif
Jan 15, 1970

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House of Representatives
Washington D.C.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 1/28/70

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-2323) (RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
IO 4239; WF 447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER
OO: San Francisco

[redacted] Los Angeles, California, advised that [redacted] was the victim of an attempted rape by CLEAVER in 1957 for which CLEAVER was convicted. At the time of this occurence [redacted] was a [redacted] A letter was received at that institution dated 11/6/69, from one [redacted] Los Angeles, California. This letter requested [redacted] current address advising that a distant relative was attempting to contact her. [redacted] received a letter dated 11/12/79, which had been sent to his former address, [redacted], Los Angeles, California, from the same [redacted] The letter was addressed "Madam", and advised "We are preparing a biography of the individual with whom you were involved in an incident in November 1957." The letter requested information on the details and circumstances of this incident including the location and in whose company [redacted] was with at the time it took place. The letter closed with the postscript "I am referring to Mr. LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER." [redacted] stated that [redacted] had no intention of contacting and pointed out that he would make the letter available upon request.

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A review of the current street address telephone directory for Los Angeles, California, revealed that [redacted] located at [redacted], Los Angeles, California.

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On 1/8/70, inquiry at [redacted] revealed that [redacted] has occupied [redacted] at this hotel for at least the past seven months. [redacted] is described as being a light skinned Negro, approximately 40 years old, with a heavy build. [redacted] resided by

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2 - San Francisco (88-12329) (RM)
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himself, has known employment, and is believed to be a recipient of some type of welfare payments. [redacted] claims to be [redacted] and spends most of his time in his room.

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A review of Los Angeles indices failed to reveal any information which could be identified with [redacted]

Above is furnished for information of the Bureau and San Francisco. No further investigation being conducted by Los Angeles.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-442715) and SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (100-41353)

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FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (157-843) (RUC)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka -
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IO NO. 4239
WANTED FLYER NO. 447
RM-BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH
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OF THE UNITED STATES
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Loc in Algiers

Re Bureau letter to Albany, 1/13/70.

On January 28, 1970, U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) and the U.S. Bureau of Customs, both at Seattle, Washington, were advised by letter of subject's possible return to the United States. Both agencies were requested to alert appropriate personnel at ports of entry and border crossings in the State of Washington, and were furnished background information and photographs of CLEAVER.

In addition to the above, the following racial sources of the Seattle Office have been alerted to CLEAVER's possible return:

2 - Bureau (REG)
2 - San Francisco (REG) (100-55520)
1 - Seattle

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Seattle will continue liaison with U.S. INS and U.S. Customs. Positive information concerning CLEAVER will be appropriately furnished to the Bureau.

VIA TELETYPE

JAN 29 1970

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Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Walters
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Bishop
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
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FROM LEGAT PARIS NO. 13

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, AKA, FUGITIVE, RM - BPP.

REMYCAB JANUARY ONE NINE LAST.

EMBASSY STOCKHOLM CABLE JANUARY TWO EIGHT LAST ADVISES

[redacted] SEEN IN SWEDEN BY [redacted]

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SHE DID NOT TALK OF FUTURE PLANS OR WHETHER CLEAVER PLANS TO GO TO SWEDEN. LONDON ADVISED.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251)

FROM: SAC, SAN JUAN (157-74) (P)

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER; aka -
FUGITIVE
IO # 4239
WANTED FLIER #447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER;
(OO:SAN FRANCISCO)

Loc in Algeria

Re Bureau letter to all SACs and Legal Attaché dated 1-13-70.

On 1-22-70, [redacted] (protect identity) [redacted] Puerto Rico, confidentially advised that [redacted] came to [redacted] on 1-10-70 and checked [redacted] and [redacted] a white male who accompanied her [redacted] advised that [redacted] would be coming to [redacted] on 1-12-70. [redacted] advised that [redacted] appeared at the [redacted] on 1-12-70 and advised that he would be staying in Vega Baja for several weeks.

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2 - Bureau (RM)
3 - Albuquerque (157-194) (RM)
(1 - 100-3361 - [redacted])
2 - New York (100-161321) (Info) (RM)
(1 - 100-155090 - [redacted])
2 - San Francisco (88-12329) (RM)
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[redacted] was exhibited photograph of the subject and advised that he has never seen the subject in Vega Baja, but that he will be alert for anyone resembling the subject and would immediately notify the SJO of the FBI.

On 1-22-70, [redacted] who resides [redacted] that [redacted] and two white males and a white f[illegible] are presently occupying [redacted] beach house and that they arrived in Vega Baja some time during the weekend of January 10-11, 1970. Source was exhibited photographs of subject and advised that he had not seen anyone in the beach area of Vega Baja resembling the subject but that he would be alert for any Negro males coming into the area and would immediately advise the FBI.

On 1-29-70, [redacted] was recontacted and advised that [redacted] on 1-26-70 [redacted] foreign countries including Algeria, France, and Martinique. He also advised that no information concerning the subject has [illegible] his attention since last being contacted by the FBI.

On 1-29-70, [redacted] was recontacted and advised that [redacted] and his group continued to stay at [redacted] beach house in Vega Baja. He also advised that he has observed no one resembling the subject in the vicinity of the beach area in Vega Baja since last contacted by the FBI.

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On 1-29-70, SAs [redacted] and [redacted] observed a white female with dark hair fitting the description of [redacted] on the front porch of [redacted] beach house at Vega Baja.

On the dates indicated the following individuals were re-alerted concerning the possible return of the subject to the United States:

| Individual Contacted | Date | Contacted by |
|---|---|---|
| [redacted] | 1-[redacted]-70 | SA [redacted] |
| [redacted] | 1-23-70 | SA [redacted] |

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U.S. Customs,
Isla Verde, Puerto Rico

[redacted] 1-23-70 SA [redacted]
San Juan International Airport
Isla Verde, Puerto Rico

[redacted] 1-23-70 SA [redacted]
Investigator, INS,
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands

[redacted] 1-23-70 SA [redacted]
Assistant District Director
U.S. Customs
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands

[redacted] 1-23-70 SA [redacted] b6 b7C
Pan American World Airways
St. Thomas, Virgin Islands

Bureau and all receing offices are requested to [illegible] indices for any information concerning [redacted] as SJO indices are negative.

LEADS:

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AT ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO: Will expeditiously furnish a photograph of [redacted] to SJO.

SAN JUAN

AT VEGA BAJA, PUERTO RICO: Will remain alert through sources for any information concerning subject.

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SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka - FUG.
I.O. #4239, W.F. #447
RM - BPP; UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER; THREAT AGAINST THE
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
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SUBJECT LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka. - FUG.
IO 4239; WF 447
RM-BPP;UFAC-ASSAULT
WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE U.S.
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

(C) Re Ottawa airtel - 1/23/70.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 2/10/70

FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (157-919) - P -

SUBJECT: LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER -
FUGITIVE
I. O. # 4239,
W. F. # 447
RACIAL MATTER - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT
TO COMMIT MURDER

Loc in Algiers

OO: San Francisco

In the January issue of True Magazine, DON A. SCHANCHE wrote an article entitled "Eldridge Cleaver Speaks From Exile." This article begins on Page 33, and Mr. SCHANCHE sets forth a summary of many interviews with CLEAVER in Algiers, Algeria. In this article, CLEAVER speaks about leaving the United States and the possibility of returning to the United States, but there is no specific information as to how he left, how he intends to return, or the date he intends to return.

The San Francisco Office, after perusing this article, might consider the feasibility of requesting the Bureau's permission to interview [redacted] for any further specific information [redacted] might be able to render regarding these interviews with CLEAVER.

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February 2, 1970

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Public Relations
Seventh-day Adventist Church
6840 Eastern Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20012

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Dear [redacted]

Your letter of January 27th, with enclosure, has been received and I appreciate the interest which prompted you to write. You may be sure your communication will be made a matter of record in our files.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no information identifiable with correspondent. Andrew F. Tully, Jr., in 1963 wrote a very critical column concerning the Bureau and the Director.

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J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
9th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20530

Dear Mr. Hoover:

In a syndicated column which recently appeared in newspapers across the country, Andrew Tully concluded an article about the possible return of Eldridge Cleaver by saying: "Bleeding-heart Methodists and Seventh-day Adventists perhaps should take apprehensive note before helping to finance the return of still another racist to the U.S."

When we asked Mr. Tully for facts to substantiate his allegation he admitted he pulled the church names out of thin air, only to add punch to his story.

The implication grossly misrepresents the Seventh-day Adventist Church. We do not consider it our business to engage in any kind of politics or revolutionary activities in regard to the government of any country.

In order to place our position on record we are sending you this information together with a copy of a letter which our attorney has sent to Mr. Tully, the McNaught Syndicate, Inc., which markets his column, and to one of the newspapers in which the article appeared.

We hope Mr. Tully will correct the wrong impression which he gave so that Seventh-day Adventists will continue to be known around the world as people who are loyal to their government, and who are dedicated to serving mankind.

Sincerely yours,

[redacted] 100-447251-764

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January 20, 1970

Mr. Andrew Tully
2104 - 48th Street, N.W.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Tully:

I am writing to you as the general legal counsel of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists at their request relative to a newspaper article published under your name.

One of the times and places this article appeared was January 10, 1970, in the Beckley Post-Herald headlines "Cleaver May Return To Lead Revolt Here" in which you said,

> "Bleeding-heart Methodists and Seventh Day Adventists perhaps should take apprehensive note before helping to finance the return of still another racist to the U.S."

The context in which this quotation was used is deemed libelous by the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. The reaction of church members supports this conclusion as evidenced by phone calls and letters received from those who had read the article and interpreted it as an affront to their loyalty to the United States and the noncombatant position of the church.

Demand hereby is made that a retraction be published in each newspaper in which the article has appeared making an unequivocal statement to the effect that the Seventh-day Adventist denomination does not help financially or give other assistance to revolutionists for "struggle...inside the United States...to change America by armed revolution" or "to take up arms and actively oppose", or for war that "is going to become more and more openly violent" or for any other reason.

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An immediate clarification of this fact by you is required.

Very truly yours

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cc: Beckley Post-Herald
339-343 Prince Street
Beckley, West Virginia

McNaught Syndicate, Inc.
60 East 42nd Street
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# Memorandum

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-447251) DATE: 2/9/70

FROM : SAC, CHARLOTTE (88-10875) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, aka -
FUGITIVE
IO # 4239
WANTED FLIER # 447
RM - BPP;
UFAC - ASSAULT WITH INTENT TO COMMIT MURDER;
THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

(OO: SAN FRANCISCO)

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 1/13/70.

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On 1/20/70, [redacted] United States Customs, and on 1/28/70, [redacted] United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, were contacted regarding the subject. Both have stops posted concerning the subject with their respective agencies from previous contacts and a copy of the subject's Identification Order was furnished each for their assistance, alerting them to the subject's potential return to the United States.

This matter was also brought to the attention of all Agents in the Charlotte Division for contact with appropriate sources and in the event positive information is received, the Bureau and San Francisco will be immediately advised.

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| REPORTING OFFICE | OFFICE OF ORIGIN | DATE | INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD |
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| SAN DIEGO | SAN DIEGO | 7/1/68 | 5/9 - 6/14/68 |

| TITLE OF CASE | REPORT MADE BY | TYPED BY |
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| UNKNOWN SUBJECT;<br>Theft of M14 Rifle No. 593088 | [redacted] | klb |
| | CHARACTER OF CASE<br>TGP | |

REFERENCE: San Diego airtel to San Francisco dated 5/10/68;
San Francisco letter to San Diego dated 5/24/68.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Case being placed in pending inactive status until 11/15/68, since San Francisco Office advises subjects are awaiting trial on an assault with intent to commit murder charge and interviews of possible subjects are not contemplated at this time.

LEADS

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| ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED - None | | | | | | ACQUIT-TALS | CASE HAS BEEN: |
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| CONVIC. | AUTO. | FUG. | FINES | SAVINGS | RECOVERIES | | PENDING OVER ONE YEAR ☐ YES ☒ NO<br>PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS ☐ YES ☒ NO |

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LEADS (CONTINUED)

AT OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA. 1. Will, when considered appropriate, conduct investigation to ascertain if it is possible to determine how instant rifle was taken from Camp Pendleton to Oakland, California.

2. Will recover M14 rifle or make arrangements for Oakland Police Department to return weapon to Provost Marshal's Office, Camp Pendleton, when no longer needed as evidence.

SAN DIEGO

Will take any necessary action after investigation by San Francisco Office.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to:

Report of: [redacted] Office: San Diego, California

Date: 7/1/68

Field Office File #: San Diego 52-4949 Bureau File #:

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
Theft of M14 Rifle No. 593088

Character: THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Synopsis:

Captioned M14 rifle was reported missing 10/4/67 to Provost Marshal's Office, Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, Calif and at the time was not considered stolen. Organization from which rifle was taken is now in Vietnam. Rifle was recovered 4/6/68 by Oakland, California Police Department along with other weapons, after two members of Black Panther Party ambushed and wounded two Oakland police officers.

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DETAILS: This investigation was predicated on information furnished May 9, 1968, by Staff Sergeant [redacted] Investigator, Criminal Investigation Department, Provost Marshal's Office, Camp Pendleton, California, who advised a 7.62-caliber, M14 rifle, Serial No. 593088, was reported missing on October 4, 1967, and it was at that time believed to be somewhere in the 27th Marine Regiment area. [redacted] stated on May 6, 1968, a message was received from the California Bureau of Identification and Investigation showing an M14 rifle, Serial No. 593088, was being held by the Oakland Police Department.

By communication dated May 24, 1968, the San Francisco Office advised the following information was received from Sergeant [redacted] Homicide Detail, and Sergeant [redacted] Intelligence Division, Oakland, California Police Department, by SA [redacted] on May 14, 1968:

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Two Oakland patrolmen were ambushed and wounded by members of the Black Panther Party on April 6, 1968. In the ensuing "shoot-out" between police and Panther members, one of the Panthers, BOBBY JAMES HUTTON, was killed, and eight others were arrested and charged with assault to commit murder. An arsenal of weapons was confiscated by police and is being held by them as evidence in this case.

The markings on the recovered rifle are as follows:

Below the gun sight: "U. S. Rifle 7.62 millimeter M14 593088" (The triangular emblem shown in the tracing (an enclosure to the letter) contains the letters "TRW");

On the barrel: "TRW 7790190";

On the under part of the stock: The letter "P" in a circle.

The weapon contains a web sling, marine green in color; the cartridge clip contains the legent: "BRW S-1."

All the persons arrested are in local custody with the exception of [redacted] who is at liberty on bond. CLEAVER is described as male, Negro, born August 21, 1935, Little Rock, Arkansas. He is presently incarcerated at Vacaville as a parole violator.

Oakland police advised that CLEAVER was observed to throw the M14 rifle from the basement window of 1218 - 28th Street just before he and the other Panthers surrendered to police.

Inasmuch as all these men are presently in custody, represented by attorneys, awaiting trial for assault with intent to commit murder, the San Francisco Office does not contemplate interviews of these parties at this time.

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Staff Sergeant [redacted] Investigator, Criminal Investigation Department, Provost Marshal's Office, Camp Pendleton, California, advised that record [redacted] of his office contains the following information:

Lieutenant [redacted], Marine Serial No. [redacted], 3rd Battalion, 27th Marine Regiment, 5th Marine Division, Camp Pendleton, telephonically advised October 18, 1967, that custodian of M14 rifle, Serial No. 593088, [redacted], Marine Serial No. [redacted], Headquarters and Service Company, 3rd Battalion, 27th Marine Regiment, laid the rifle on his bunk before inspection on October 4, 1967. He left the area for a few minutes and returned, to find the rifle missing. He assumed that it was a prank; however, he reported it to his platoon sergeant, who instructed him to report it to his company gunnery sergeant. At the time of filing the complaint, Lieutenant [redacted] stated that the report did not enter official channels, and it was October 16, 1967 when the company commander was informed of the loss. He said he assumed that the rifle was missing and was somewhere in the 27th Marine Regiment area. He stated it is valued at $128.

Sergeant [redacted] stated that all members of the 27th Marine Regiment are now serving with that regiment in Vietnam.

[redacted] was informed the above M14 rifle has been recovered and is in the possession of the Oakland Police Department, where it is being held as evidence in a case pending prosecution.

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On 6/14/68 at Camp Pendleton, California File# San Diego 52-4949

by SA [redacted] /clb Date dictated 6/20/68

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| SAN DIEGO | SAN DIEGO | 3/19/69 | 2/17/69 |

| TITLE OF CASE | REPORT MADE BY | TYPED BY |
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| UNSUB; Theft of M-14 Rifle Number 593088 Camp Pendleton California | SA [redacted] | djg |
| | CHARACTER OF CASE: TGP | |

REFERENCE: San Francisco letter to San Diego, 2/17/69.

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## ADMINISTRATIVE

Case being placed in a pending inactive status until July 15, 1969, since San Francisco Office advised subjects are awaiting trial on an assault with intent to commit murder charge and interviews of possible subjects are not contemplated at this time.

## LEADS

### SAN FRANCISCO

| ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED | | | | | ☒ NONE | ACQUIT-TALS | CASE HAS BEEN: |
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| CONVIC. | AUTO. | FUG. | FINES | SAVINGS | RECOVERIES | | PENDING OVER ONE YEAR ☐ YES ☒ NO<br>PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS ☐ YES ☒ NO |

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AT OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA. 1. Will, when considered appropriate, conduct investigation to ascertain the possible determination how instant rifle was taken from Camp Pendleton to Oakland, California.

2. Will recover M-14 rifle or make arrangements for the Oakland Police Department to return weapon to Provost Marshal's Office, Camp Pendleton, when no longer needed as evidence.

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Will take any necessary action after investigation by San Francisco Office.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Report of: SA [redacted] Office: SAN DIEGO
Date: March 19, 1969

Field Office File #: San Diego 52-4949 Bureau File #:

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
Theft of M-14 Rifle
Number 593088

Character: THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Synopsis: Principal suspect in this matter, ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, is still a fugitive.

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DETAILS: By communication dated February 17, 1969, the San Francisco office advised that the principal suspect in this matter, ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, is still a fugitive.

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| TITLE OF CASE | REPORT MADE BY | TYPED BY |
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| CHANGED<br>ELDRIDGE CLEAVER<br>Camp Pendleton, California | SA [redacted] | blb |
| | CHARACTER OF CASE<br>TGP | |

Title was previously carried as UNSUB.; Theft of M14 Rifle # 593088 and changed to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER since he was observed attempting to dispose of captioned rifle.

REFERENCE: Report of SA [redacted] dated 3-19-69, at San Diego.

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| ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED | | | | | | ☒ NONE | ACQUIT-TALS | CASE HAS BEEN: |
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| CONVIC. | AUTO. | FUG. | FINES | SAVINGS | RECOVERIES | | | PENDING OVER ONE YEAR ☐ YES ☒ NO<br>PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS ☐ YES ☒ NO |
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Copy to: 1 - U. S. Attorney, San Diego

Report of: SA [redacted] Office: SAN DIEGO
Date: July 8, 1969

Field Office File #: 52-4949 Bureau File #:

Title: ELDRIDGE CLEAVER

Character: THEFT OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Synopsis: Assistant U.S. Attorney (AUSA), San Diego, California, declined prosecution since weapon was originally reported as missing and since suspect is in Cuba and should he return would be prosecuted on other charges.

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ENCLOSURE

TO U. S. ATTORNEY, SAN DIEGO

One copy of report of SA [redacted] dated July 1, 1968, at San Diego.

DETAILS

On July 8, 1969, the facts in this investigation were telephonically presented to AUSA SHELBY R. GOTT at which time Mr. GOTT declined prosecution since the original report listed the weapon as missing not believed stolen and since the main suspect, ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, is in Cuba and will be prosecuted on other charges should he return.



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